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BAD BANKNOTE PLANT LOCATED AT SEATTLE

Operators Worked in Victoria,
Eastern Cities and Cov-
ered Northwest

INVESTIGATORS BAFFLED FOR LAST SIX MONTHS

Gang Made Bills Up to \$100
in Likeness of Canadian
Bank Issue

TWO FUTILE ARRESTS MADE AT VANCOUVER

Seattle, May 15.—The seizure in this city of a complete counterfeiting plant, valued at several thousand dollars, by J. F. Statter, government operative, the revelation of which was made yesterday, brings to light one of the most daring and comprehensive counterfeiting undertakings to come to the eyes of government officials in recent years, and a case that has baffled Canadian officers and the United States secret service for the last six months.

The plant was discovered in a storage room on Railroad avenue, and indicates that Seattle has been the headquarters of a gang of skilful criminals, who have manufactured notes in the likeness of Bank of Montreal \$20 bills and Dominion of Canada \$5 bills, passing them in a wide radius, including Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham, Snohomish, Sedro Woolly, Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and along the route of the C. P. R. as far east as Ottawa.

Frank C. Bright, alias Frank Berger, wounded by Patrolman L. Newman, on the evening of April 30, while attempting to evade arrest for trying to pass a counterfeit \$5 Dominion of Canada bill on Mrs. H. Swanson, proprietress of the Seal Rock hotel, 311 First avenue, south, who is now in the city hospital under guard of a deputy marshal, is under surveillance in connection with the case against the gang of counterfeiters.

Bank of Montreal counterfeit bills to the amount of \$100,000 were passed in this city in February. Other mercantile and banking houses were enumerated yesterday by Mr. Statter as having taken counterfeit bills from members of the gang about that time.

Mr. Statter estimated that during the six months the gang operated they passed counterfeit money to approximately the amount of \$10,000.

The counterfeiting plant is said to be the most complete the government has seized since the Leon gang, which worked in California five years ago, made their Bank of Pasadena notes.

Mr. Statter made an interesting discovery two days ago which completed the entire counterfeiting outfit. A painter working on the waterfront was attracted to an object at the sea wall at the foot of one of the downtown streets hanging from a string fastened to the pier head. It was a number of plates, bearing the imprint of a \$5 note, and when these were turned over to Mr. Statter he compared them with the counterfeit \$5 Canadian bill and found that the plates had been used in the manufacture of the notes. The case is said to have been the first in which the United States secret service has reached into Canada on a Canadian case. Mr. Statter, who has handled the work alone for the government, has made frequent trips to British Columbia since the bills were first passed in Bellingham. Later he was asked to co-operate with the Canadian police by Commissioner of Police Sherwood of Ottawa.

Mr. Statter made two arrests recently in Vancouver but could not obtain evidence sufficient to put the suspects in custody. Detective J. J. Thompson, of Vancouver, is working on the case there.

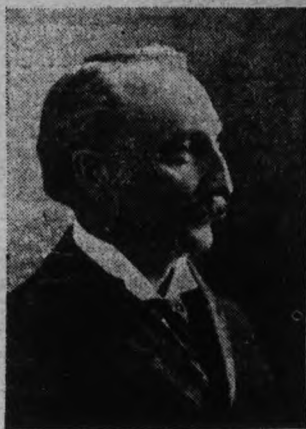
DEGREE CONFERRED ON CHARLES NAPIER BELL

Winnipeg, Man., May 15.—Manitoba university to-day conferred the degree of LL.D. on Charles Napier Bell, F.R.G.S., in recognition of his extensive researches and writings in connection with the history and resources of western and northern Canada, and for general services to the public for over thirty years. Dr. Bell is secretary to the Winnipeg board of trade and grain exchange and has received recognition and honors from many historical and scientific societies in America and Europe.

SIR CONAN DOYLE IS TO CAMP AT JASPER PARK

London, May 15.—Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, the famous author, sails for Canada next week. He travels from Montreal via the Grand Trunk Pacific to Jasper in the Rocky Mountains, where he intends camping out with Col. Maynard Rogers, whom he met during the Boer war.

Death Claims Noted Canadian



LATE HON. F. D. MONK.

SCOTTISH HOME RULE IN BRITISH COMMONS

Strong Demand Exists for
Local Control Says
Author of Bill

London, May 15.—The House of Commons to-day discussed the Home Rule for Scotland bill, a private member's measure proposing to establish by a single chamber a Scottish parliament consisting of 140 members. The preamble further states that the bill is intended to represent an installment of the devolution policy initiated by the Home Rule for Ireland bill.

The bill is authored by J. I. MacPherson, a Liberal who was defeated in his candidature for East Renfrewshire at the last general election, but has been returned since at the by-election held in 1911 for Ross and Cromarty. He is a well known educationist and writes on political and economic subjects. In moving the second reading he declared that there existed in Scotland a strong demand for control of local affairs.

William Young, Liberal member for East Perthshire, while supporting the general principles of the bill opposed its clause proposing to give votes to women, a question, he said, which ought to be left for Scotland to decide herself. H. J. Mackinder, Unionist member for the Camachie division of Glasgow, moved the rejection of the bill, declaring that it made merely for Scottish parochialism.

Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, the Unionist leader who sits for the city of London, threw cold water on the bill, declaring that it would be impossible to give one subsidiary parliament powers which they did not give to another.

MILITANTS MAKE FARCE OUT OF TRIAL IN COURT

Jail Terms for Disturbing Peace Given
Mrs. Drummond and Mrs.
Dacre-Fox.

London, May 15.—Sentences of one month's imprisonment were pronounced to-day on "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond and Mrs. Dacre-Fox, two militant suffragette leaders. They were charged with disturbing the peace by camping on the doorsteps of the residence of Sir Edward Carson and Lord Lansdowne yesterday.

The accused women refused to give bond to keep the peace for six months. They turned the court proceedings into a farce by interrupting the evidence and by jarring at the magistrate while he was pronouncing sentence. When ordered to be violent that it was necessary to call in extra policemen to remove them from the prisoner's enclosure. They were dragged out of court shrieking and screaming.

Arson squads of militant suffragettes to-day destroyed the costly grandstands at the country cricket grounds in Birmingham and London.

BANK DIRECTORS MADE LIABLE FOR \$54,720

Fairbanks, Alaska, May 15.—United States District Judge Fuller decided yesterday that John J.eson, John L. McGinn, R. C. Wood, E. R. Peoples and Raymond Brumbaugh, directors of the defunct Washington-Alaska Bank, were liable for an aggregate of \$54,720, for which suit was brought by F. G. Noyes, receiver of the bank.

J. A. Healey, John Clark and Geo. Preston, who were sued with the other defendants, were exonerated by the court. The case will be carried to the circuit court of appeals.

The Washington-Alaska Bank of Fairbanks was thrown into the hands of a receiver three years ago.

AVIATORS ARE KILLED.

North Allerton, Eng., May 15.—Two British army aviators, Lieut. J. Empson, of the Royal Fusiliers, and Sergeant Dudmore, were killed to-day near here during a combined flight by a squadron of military aeroplanes from Scotland to Salisbury Plain.

HON. F. D. MONK DIED TO-DAY AT MONTREAL AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Montreal, Que., May 15.—Hon. F. D. Monk, ex-M. P. for Jacques Cartier, died this morning. Mr. Monk had been in ill-health for a long time. He resigned his seat in parliament on March 3 last and went to a sanitarium in the south, but failing to improve returned to his home here. Early this morning his condition became critical and he passed quietly away without recovering consciousness. He had been more or less unconscious for the past two days with brief spells, when he was able to recognize those around him. The Rev. Abbe Troie performed the last rites of the church yesterday.

Hon. Frederick Debaratzch Monk, K. C., D. C. L., was born in Montreal April 6, 1856. He was the fourth son of the late Hon. S. C. Monk, a judge of court of Queen's bench, Quebec. He was called to the bar in 1878, and created a Queen's councillor in 1892. He was a professor of constitutional law in the Montreal branch of Laval university. For twelve years he had been a school commissioner for the city of Montreal. The late Mr. Monk was elected to the House of Commons for Jacques Cartier at the general election of 1896, and was re-elected in 1900, 1904, 1908 and 1911. He was elected opposition leader for the province of Quebec in the House of Commons in 1901, and resigned as provincial opposition leader in 1903. He was sworn of the privy council and appointed minister of public works in the Borden cabinet October 10, 1911, and resigned his portfolio October 22, 1912, because he was not in accord with Mr. Borden on the navy question.

WAS ADORNMENT TO PUBLIC LIFE IS OPPOSITION TRIBUTE

Ottawa, Ont., May 15.—The news of the death of Hon. F. D. Monk, although unexpected, was received with deep regret at Ottawa. From the time he entered parliament in 1896, he was one of the most highly respected men in the house, both on account of his natural ability and his personality. In later years he was recognized as a first class parliamentarian and as a debater he had few equals at Ottawa. He was equally at home in French as English, being one of the best linguists in the house. Premier Borden announced the death in the Commons this morning, and tributes were paid to their former colleague by the prime minister, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. L. P. Pelletier, Hon. C. J. Doherty and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux.

"It is my painful duty said Mr. Borden to announce the death of Hon. F. D. Monk, for many years a member of this house, and until a year ago a member of the present government. I met Mr. Monk in 1896, we came here together as new members that year. Since that we have been associated very closely in public affairs, and it has been my privilege to enjoy his personal friendship. There have been marked differences of opinion between us, and such a difference ruled in his retirement from the government less than a year ago. However, these differences never interfered with our personal friendship. He was a man of distinguished qualities, a great parliamentarian, and of exceeding industry. He was a commanding figure in parliament and in public affairs. His character and temperament were in some ways not suited for public life. He was a man of singularly sensitive disposition, and possessed the highest sense of public duty, and his death leaves a great blank in the public life of Canada. No man mourns his death more than I do."

We can assure those members of his family who survive him that in this loss they have the profound sympathy of the parliament and of the people of Canada. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "The sad intelligence of the death of Mr. Monk is not altogether unexpected, for many months past he has been in failing health. The end was more sudden, perhaps, than was looked for. Those who knew him, as it was my privilege, realized that he had all the qualities attributed him by the prime minister. His loss of health dates back to the death of his charming wife, who was his close friend and advisor. It was a blow from which he never recovered. Mr. Monk was an adornment to the public life of the province of Quebec and of the Dominion of Canada. He was more disposed by temperament and ability to be on the bench than in public life. If his lot had been on the bench, as was that of his distinguished father before him, he would have been an honor to it. We who differed with him on many occasions, wish that the condolences of his opponents be carried to his family."

St. Louis, Mo., May 15.—Plans for a parade in which approximately 10,000 Masons will participate to-morrow, were worked out to-day by the grand masters of Masonic orders throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico, whose second annual convention is in progress here.

MASONS TO PARADE.

Christiania, Norway, May 15.—King Haakon and Queen Maud of Norway opened to-day with imposing ceremony an exhibition commemorative of the centenary of Norwegian independence from Denmark.

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WEDNESDAY OPENING DAY FOR MEDIATION

South American Envoys Take
Formal Leave of Presi-
dent Wilson

ZAPATISTAS ATTACKED HUERTA AT TOPILEJO

Britishers in Mexico City Are
Armed and Prepared for
Crisis Any Moment

FEELING OF REVOLT SPREADS IN CAPITAL

Washington, May 15.—The opening of the negotiations of the South American mediators in the Mexican controversy at Niagara Falls was to-day postponed until Wednesday, May 20, the state department announced. The sessions were originally scheduled to begin on Monday. The delay was arranged at the request of the Brazilian ambassador in order that the Mexican delegates to the conference, who are speeding northward from Key West, might not be unduly hurried in their trip to Niagara Falls. The Mexican delegation will reach Washington shortly after noon to-morrow.

The three South American envoys on whom rests the hope of a peaceful solution of the Mexican imbroglio, paid a formal visit of farewell to-day to President Wilson before they departed for Niagara Falls, Ont., to begin their peace negotiations.

Vera Cruz, May 15.—Credible private advices from Mexico City report that the federalists at Topilejo, 15 miles south of the capital, were attacked yesterday by the Zapatistas. No details of the fighting were received, but the incident is regarded as an important development by authorities here.

Topilejo has been the scene of numerous clashes during the last few months, and the engagements are usually unimportant since the federalists never attempted to follow the retreating Zapatistas. It is not considered that the new activity there indicates any intention of a Zapatista attack on the capital, as the reported agreement between Zapata and Villa to mutually withdraw from the capital has been credited here.

Word has reached here foreboding the approach of a critical moment in the capital. British subjects, it is stated, have been gathered in the concentration districts in the foreign residential quarters of Mexico City, where it was decided long ago they would protect themselves against whatever arose. More British nationals are reported arriving by train, while others are hastening toward the coast.

The Britishers are amply supplied with arms and ammunition, despite earlier rumors that the weapons had been taken from the legation and from residences by order of General Huerta. The German and Austrian defense organization is also ready to stand a siege, and the nationals, according to report, are being gathered.

Apparently the feeling is general among all foreigners that the next few days will see a tumult of revolt in the capital, since the move into the district was planned to occur only when the situation became critical.

OPENS EXHIBITION

Mr. Bennett replied that if that was so, it was so much the worse because they had profited by this real estate speculation. He was sorry to see that his friend the solicitor-general had become the advocate and apologist for Mackenzie & Mann.

"Before I am through," he added, "the WHI be sorry he has become their apologist."

With reference to the Canadian Northern Pacific, the British Columbia line, Mr. Bennett declared that this parliament was laying unholty hands on the bargain made between the British Columbia government and the C. N. P., because that road had agreed that it would never apply to be declared a federal road for the general advantage of Canada. Provincial rights entered into this, said Mr. Bennett, and the province of British Columbia had not asked parliament to take control of this road. The C. N. P. and the C. N. P. could not ask it without breaking the bargain. He declared that the trouble was that guarantees had been given in Western Canada in a manner absolutely reckless. The only province that was free in that regard was Manitoba, but from there west to the Pacific ocean there was danger to the body politic in the situation.

Mr. Bennett declared that the government found the C. N. P. insolvent and unable to carry out their undertaking, but he would like to ask if Mackenzie & Mann and the Mackenzie & Mann company were insolvent. Where was a statement of their assets and liabilities? It was currently reported that they had \$20,000,000 of assets. "If they have, let them pay their debts and build the road," said Mr. Bennett. Parliament should demand an assignment of their assets. The solicitor-general had told of the security the government got in return for its guarantee. But they had taken

LIFT THE LID SAYS BENNETT WHO SEEKS TO LOOK INSIDE THE CANADIAN NORTHERN POT

Calgary Conservative Breaks Away on Railway Aid Proposal—
Nothing Like Canadian Northern in History of Transportation,
He Says, in Making Demand for Royal Commission and
Elimination of Mackenzie and Mann.

Ottawa, May 15.—That all is not shown on the surface and that much lies beneath the lid of the pot that holds the wealth of Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann, of the Canadian Northern railway and its subsidiary companies; that the railway is insolvent and that the titled heads of the company are worth \$50,000,000 made from manipulations of the company's affairs were the gist of the attack made in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon and last night by Richard B. Bennett, Conservative member for Calgary, who, in breaking away from the Conservative party, demanded a royal commission to investigate the railway company's affairs. Speaking for several hours Mr. Bennett lent his many years' experience in railway matters to an exhaustive probing of the last C. N. R. report, described the promoters of the railway as mendicants instead of empire and nation builders, and asserted as necessary the

elimination of Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann from the railway and the appointment of a prominent railway man to manage its affairs. In the latter connection he suggested Sir Thomas Tait, formerly with the Canadian Pacific railway and afterwards head of the railway board of the Victoria (Australia) railways.

Mr. Bennett spoke all the afternoon, and resuming at night, continued his speech until 10 p.m. There were at times during his speech questions thrown at him by Hon. Arthur Meighen, solicitor-general, the debate being lengthened by Mr. Bennett's replies to these interjections. Mr. Bennett went before the House fully prepared on his subject. In reply to one interjection from Mr. Meighen, Mr. Bennett remarked, "I have been too long at this game to be fooled that way." Throughout his speech was one of confidence built on facts and knowledge of inner railway manipulation.

RICHARD B. BENNETT, M. P.



no security from the men who caused the disaster. It was claimed the stock had been reduced from \$145,000,000 to \$100,000,000. But as a matter of fact there was already held by the Canadian Northern railway, or in trust for it, \$45,000,000 capital stock, leaving only \$100,000,000. Instead of a reduction of capital stock, there was actually an increase, and instead of taking water out of the concern, water was being put into it.

Mr. Bennett next took up the report of the C. N. R. company. The last report of June 30, 1913, showed that there was a cash surplus of \$6,787,384, and a land fund of \$16,930,333, or a total of over \$23,000,000. Where, he asked, is this surplus? That was a question he wanted answered before he was prepared to vote for this measure.

"This money went on equipment," interposed Mr. Meighen.

"That's the story they tell, but it's not true. He is taking the statement of these men as facts, but I know they are not facts. Since when did bogus surpluses and false accounts form the basis of a claim for aid?" asked Mr. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett said that another part of the report said that there were floating liabilities of over \$6,000,000. Were they solvent or insolvent? If there were a surplus of \$23,000,000, they were solvent. If there were a floating liability to this extent, then they were insolvent. There was one report for the men in England, from whom they got the money. The report was another report for the man in parliament, from whom they wanted more money.

Mr. Bennett claimed that the report showed that the equipment trust securities were paid in full. He asked Mr. Meighen how he replied to this. He waited for a reply.

Mr. Bennett said that the report showed that they carried forth a balance of operating expenses of \$5,000,000. The report also says that every equipment obligation for that year was sum of nearly \$1,000,000 carried forward, making a total of \$6,787,384. Is this true or false? he asked Mr. Meighen.

"True," replied Mr. Meighen, "but

there were more expenditures. That is where you fall down."

"I am too long at this game to be fooled that way," said Mr. Bennett.

Mr. Meighen explained that they met fixed charges on equipment obligations and had also made a payment on capital. Mr. Bennett claimed this was not correct and quoted "Peer's Manual" to prove his contentions.

Mr. Meighen still claimed that he was wrong.

"Well, I prefer Peer to Meighen," was the retort of Mr. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett proceeded to explain how the rolling stock of the railroad was purchased. To-day they were confronted by a lobby from companies from which they had purchased equipment, including the Canadian Car company and the National Steel company. They held the notes of Mackenzie & Mann. He asked why they bought the equipment. Did they sell it? No, they issued it to the Imperial Rolling Stock company, another Mackenzie & Mann corporation. They had a paid-up capital of \$300,000. The president was William Mackenzie and the vice-president was Donald Mann. Mackenzie & Mann, he said, bought rolling stock and gave notes for it, and the Imperial Rolling Stock company took this rolling stock and sold it to Mackenzie & Mann and made a profit.

Mr. Meighen said: "No."

"Then why do they sell it in this way?" asked Mr. Bennett.

Mr. Bennett explained that this was a common method for railroad companies to handle their rolling stock. They used this method to avoid the cumbering rolling stock with all the other encumbrances of the road. It was common railroad practice. The auditors had investigated and had reported that there had been no profit.

"They cannot be trusted in these statements," was the reply of Mr. Bennett. He asked again why it was necessary to form this rolling stock company, and handle equipment in this roundabout way.

What we want, said Mr. Bennett, is a royal commission that will find out all that took place from the time these two contractors stood on the banks of the Red river until they stood on the terminals at Vancouver and looked out onto the Pacific. I don't want the mere word of Mackenzie & Mann, but I want men who will lift the lid.

Mr. Bennett's idea was that steps should be taken at once to relieve the temporary embarrassment of the road, but that final disposition should be left until after a full inquiry. He declared the statements made about the physical condition of the C. N. R. were quite unwarranted, and that its physical condition might be described as unfit to carry human traffic.

Hon. Arthur Meighen interrupted to point out that 3,000,000 people had been carried last year without one being hurt.

Mr. Bennett replied that one man at least had consulted him with regard to injuries, thought it was quite possible that that had been overlooked in the C. N. R. report.

Mr. Bennett said he had another demand to make in regard to the C. N. R. It was that Mackenzie & Mann should be eliminated from this road. He suggested that the \$100,000,000 of stock should be pooled, and some railway man of prominence, like Sir Thomas Tait, put in charge to operate it. Mackenzie & Mann, he said, do not know any more about the operation of a railway than children, and very few of their officials were experienced. The people of the west, he said, know this only too well.

Hon. Frank Oliver, who spoke late in the evening, said that the present situation was due to the action of the government in prematurely encouraging

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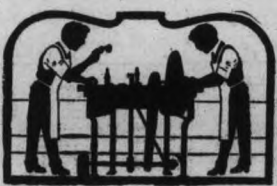
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WOMEN HAVE PART IN PEACE CELEBRATION

Canadian Members of International Council to Be at Great Meetings

Rome, May 15.—The quinquennial sessions of the International Council of Women closed yesterday. The executive committee will meet in England in 1916; in Budapest in 1918, and the quinquennial conference will be held in Norway in 1919. Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, of Washington, president of the American section was appointed chairman of the press committee. One hundred and fifty English-speaking women, presided over by the Countess of Aberdeen, discussed participation in the centenary of Anglo-American peace.

It was decided that the American and Canadian women should join in the celebration of the history of the effects of Anglo-American treaties, and that four great peace meetings should be held at Buffalo, Boston, Detroit and Seattle, respectively, in addition to a special meeting at Washington. Canadian women will speak at all these meetings, and American women will take part in meetings at Ottawa.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Midland, Ont., May 15.—Andrew and John Medrau were arrested between Port Severn and Honey Harbor yesterday charged with the murder of Robert Hayde, the Tomahawk Point merchant, whose body was found on April 16 buried in his stable. He had a shot wound in his neck.

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WILLIAM WAINWRIGHT OF GRAND TRUNK DEAD

Senior Vice-President Succumbs to Illness at Atlantic City at 74

Montreal, May 14.—Word was received here last night of the death earlier in the evening at Atlantic City, of William Wainwright, senior vice-president of the Grand Trunk railway, and vice-president of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Mr. Wainwright, who was seventy-four years of age, has been critically ill for a month from neuralgia in the head and complications. He had gone to Atlantic City to recuperate. Although not much improvement was seen in his condition, arrangements had been made to bring Mr. Wainwright home to-day. Several of his relatives were with him at the end.

Mr. Wainwright had been with the Grand Trunk system practically from its inception, and being popular with the men of all parties at Ottawa, he was trusted with the road's interest in matters that came before parliament.

Mr. Wainwright's son, Arnold Wainwright, K. C., is now in England, where he is acting as counsel in the case before the privy council. He had been called to return owing to his father's serious condition. Five other sons and three daughters also survive: Wm. W. Montreal; Claude, Los Angeles; Lester, in the West; Chester and Eric, and Mrs. Arthur R. Ripman, Miss M. and Miss G. Wainwright, Montreal.

The remains will be brought to Montreal on Saturday evening. Mr. Wainwright was born in Manchester, England, in 1840, and was educated in that city. His first railway experience was gained in the service of the Manchester, Sheffield and Lincolnshire railway, as a junior clerk in the chief accountant's office. Subsequently, in 1858, he became senior clerk and secretary to the general manager.

In 1862 Mr. Wainwright came to Canada to enter the service of the Grand Trunk, at the solicitation of the late Sir E. Watkins, who was superintendent of the Canadian road. He was at first senior clerk in the accountant's office, rapidly passed through various grades until he was appointed general passenger agent in 1872. This post he held until 1881, when he became assistant manager, rising to the rank of assistant general manager in 1891 and holding the office of general assistant, 1896-1907. He was also controller of the system, 1900-1907. He was fourth vice-president 1907-1910, second vice-president 1910-1911, and from that date has been senior vice-president of the Grand Trunk and second vice-president of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Mr. Wainwright also held many offices in connection with subsidiary companies of the Grand Trunk and other companies. He was general manager of the North Shore railway 1883-1885, a director of the Canadian Express Co., the Montreal Telegraph Co., Grand Trunk Pacific Terminal Elevator Co., Montreal Warehouse Co., and Intercolonial Express Co. He was vice-president of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co., and of the Grand Trunk Insurance and Provident society. The Montreal General hospital benefited by his services as a governor. Mr. Wainwright was widely recognized as one of the leading financiers of Canada. He also served this country in the military line, having been captain in the First Brigade Garrison Artillery, the old Grand Trunk Brigade until its disbandment. He saw active service at the time of the Trent affair and the Fenian raids.

Mr. Wainwright was twice married. His first wife, Rosabelle Hilda, daughter of the late Richard Arnold, of Toronto, and latter to her sister, Mary Emily Arnold.

HOUSE SERVANTS NOT UNDER TIPPING BILL

Choquette Thought Waiters May Have Salaries Raised and Still Get Tips.

Ottawa, May 15.—When the senate yesterday further considered the bill of Senator Davis to abolish tipping, it was suggested that there should be a distinction between the penalties applied against employers and employees. Senator Davis said the amount of the fine was in the discretion of the magistrate. Senator Choquette thought the bill would be unworkable. The waiters might have their salaries increased, but they would continue to get the tips just the same.

On motion of Senator Davis the act was amended by declaring it should not apply to servants in private residences. With these amendments the bill was approved and set down for a third reading to-morrow.

OIL FLOWING RAPIDLY FROM ALBERTA WELL

Calgary, Alta., May 15.—Oil has been struck in the Dingman well in enormous quantities. The Western Associated Press correspondent telephoned in from the well that there was one thousand feet of high grade oil in the well at that time, and it was rising rapidly, with the prospects of its overflowing to-day.

The flow of oil was preceded by a heavy flow of gas. The oil body was then broken into. Altogether ten barrels of oil have been brought to the surface. The strike of this high grade of oil is unprecedented in the history of oil discovery.

PILLOWS AND PUNCHES IN BRITISH COMMONS

Rowdy Scenes in Chamber During Tiresome All-Night Sitting

London, May 15.—Seldom have such turbulent scenes been witnessed as those that occurred in the Imperial parliament in the early hours of yesterday. During an all-night sitting, with a view to the greater comfort of the ministerialists, the government whip provided members of the government with blankets and pillows.

Labor members who were not similarly provided grabbed some of these, which caused a violent scuffle on the floor of the house, in which several members took part. Mr. Ansley, a Labor member, punched Mr. Green, government whip, on the nose, causing him to fall to the floor. This incident was immediately followed by a struggle on both sides which lasted some minutes. Eventually after breakfast the government secured the first reading of a government bill forbidding the giving of preference to trade unionists in employment on public works, one of two measures which it desires to send to the lords. The government had a majority of 21.

The opposition show no signs of relaxing their obstruction, and it seems that continued disorder and angry scenes must be expected.

Comparatively little notice is taken in the morning papers of the "snap" division in the house of commons yesterday, in which the government almost met defeat. The Unionists are disinclined to magnify the event, which was merely tactical trickery designed to embarrass the government.

In an editorial by The British Weekly, Sir Robertson Nicoll asserts that the exclusion of Ulster must be indefinite.

It is stated that ministers are quietly sounding their followers regarding an extension of the period of exclusion for Ulster and of rearranging the voting areas by including Fermanagh and Tyrone, which are doubtfully Unionist, with Antrim, Armagh, Down and Londonderry, which are overwhelmingly Unionist, as one electoral.

This would be almost certain to result in exclusion for the six counties. An amending bill framed on these lines might secure Unionist acceptance, but would certainly excite Nationalist resistance.

Final resort to the seizure by the customs authorities at Glasgow of a number of sword bayonets, believed to be destined for Ulster, General Sir Arthur Paget's arrival at Newcastle, County Down, ostensibly for golf, the appearance of the cruiser Andromache in Lough Swilley, and preparations by the Irish constabulary in Ulster to receive reinforcements from the south—all form eagerly discussed items in the day's Irish news.

FARM WORK SUGGESTED FOR I. W. W. MEMBERS

Edmonton, Alta., May 15.—That the government has no work, and the best it can do is to assist the city in placing the unemployed on the farms where plenty of men are needed, was the reply given to the delegates of the I. W. W., who paraded to the parliament buildings yesterday afternoon.

The delegation of four was headed by James Rowan, secretary of the unemployed, who presented their cause to Acting Premier Hon. Charles Stewart and Hon. Wilfrid Garfield, minister of municipalities.

CANAL COST MORE IN LIVES THAN DID WAR

Washington, May 15.—Nearly 2,200 workers on the Panama canal died from accidents and fevers between May 1, 1904, and March 31, 1914, according to statistics read by Rep. Young, of North Dakota, in the house yesterday. The total of 2,190 victims, Mr. Young asserted, was greater than the mortality from wounds, on the battlefield in the war of 1812 and the Mexican war combined, the revolution or the Spanish-American war.

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TWO ARE HANGED FOR MURDER OF CONSTABLE

Davis Accuses Clark in Last Words; Latter Sneers at Companion on Scaffold

Vancouver, May 15.—“As God is my judge, Clark did the killing.” These were the only words even approximating a confession made by Frank Davis this morning just before he and Herman Clark were executed at New Westminster jail for the murder on May 28 last year of Police Constable Archibald of Vancouver. Each man has consistently blamed the other for the crime since both were arrested within a few hours after the murder. The hanging was carried out by Executioner Arthur Ellis at 8 o'clock this morning, only a small party of officials being present. Both men stepped firmly on the scaffold, where they were attended by Rev. M. G. Melvin, a Presbyterian clergyman. As he finished the Lord's Prayer in a faltering voice the trap was sprung and the two men were pronounced dead thirteen minutes later. Clark turned and sneered at Davis as the two walked to the scaffold.

Davis did not touch food all day yesterday nor this morning. He paced his cell all night. Clark, younger and possessed of iron nerve, slept well. When the guard brought in his breakfast of ham and eggs and coffee, Clark declared with an oath that it was the same old thing and declined to eat.

Clark's body will be sent to his mother, Mrs. Behrens, of San Bernardino, Cal. Davis will be buried here. His parents are highly respected people of Toronto. Clark had escaped from San Quentin penitentiary, California, before he came to Vancouver.

VANCOUVER LIBERALS IN SPLENDID SHAPE

Officers Elected at Crowded Meeting of Delegates Held Last Night.

Vancouver, May 15.—At no stage in its history has the Vancouver city and District Liberal association had a more successful or satisfactory meeting than that held last night on the occasion of the annual gathering of the delegates from various parts of the city in the labor temple. There were almost 200 in attendance, and the proceedings throughout were of a more business-like character. Considerable interest centred in the election of officers for the ensuing year which, as shown by the change in the constitution, will end in October, 1915, instead of May.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. president, Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, K. C. M. G.; M. P. P. C.; hon. vice-presidents, Charles Macdonald and James Staples; president, Ralph Smith; vice-presidents, Maxwell Smith, W. B. Farris, Nichol Thompson and Dr. W. E. Murray; secretary, G. E. Housner; treasurer, V. W. Odium; parliamentary committee, J. W. DeB. Farris, M. A. Macdonald and S. S. Taylor, K. C.; auditor, A. M. Pound.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE.

St. Louis, Mo., May 15.—Three persons were killed to-day at Kaufman's, Ill., eleven miles east of Edwardsville, Ill., when their automobile was struck by a train. The train crew said the automobile ran into the train.

COBALT PIONEER DEAD.

New York, May 15.—Word was received to-day of the death in Montreal of Duncan McMartin, pioneer in the Cobalt mining district of Canada. He was 45 years old.

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WORKING OUT CLUES

OF PENTICTON ROBBERY

Connection Suggested Between Post Office Theft and Crimes Committed at Revelstoke.

Penticton, B. C., May 15.—While Chief Perry, of Revelstoke, wired local authorities last night to the effect that he was certain the burglars who secured six thousand dollars in the post office robbery here yesterday were also wanted at Revelstoke for a series of burglaries and housebreaking in that city, the police are skeptical as to whether this is actually the case as the burglaries here seem to indicate that at least two old hands were implicated, while the Revelstoke robberies appear to be more the work of one man. A good description of the Revelstoke bandit has been secured, however, and local police are making every effort to

piece out the clue with other fragments of evidence which they have secured. To-day the police departments at all valley points south and north as well as across the international boundary have been advised to keep a sharp lookout for the burglars.

The fact that the burglary was committed on a night when a money package was consigned to a local branch bank indicates that the burglars had received inside information of the shipment of the parcel and made plans accordingly.

POSTAL EMPLOYEES FUND SHOWING LARGE DEFICIT

London, May 15.—A great sensation has been caused by the announcement that there is a deficit of \$863,000 in the funds of the United Kingdom Postal Telegraph and General Service Benevolent society. Three reasons were assigned: That the society was unsoundly established, the failure to establish an adequate reserve fund and the admis-

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"Whether or not it was the result of the appeal made by the Colonist last Sunday, there has been a distinct improvement in the general tone of the community this week."—Colonist.

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HON. F. D. MONK.

Death during the past few months has taken heavy toll of men and women who long have been conspicuous in the history and life of Canada. Hon. F. D. Monk, whose death is announced to-day, was a man of commanding presence, conspicuous ability, unimpeachable integrity and unquestioned sincerity. He was also a cultured gentleman, speaking both English and French with grace and fluency. Mr. Monk possessed in an unusual degree the respect and esteem of his political opponents. He always was courteous and hardly ever bitter in debate. He was kindly considerate in all his relations with his fellow-men. Although a lifelong Conservative and leader of the party in the province of Quebec, he joined his political fortunes with those of Mr. Bourassa during the campaign of 1911 when the Laurier government was fiercely assailed in that province on its naval policy. It was as a Nationalist that Mr. Monk joined Mr. Borden's cabinet, and it was in redemption of his pledges and as a final seal upon his sincerity that he resigned his portfolio when the government brought down its policy of contributions to the British navy, while his two colleagues, elected on the same platform, found excuses for their conduct and clung to office. Mr. Monk's kindly personality and frank courtesy won him many friends in the eastern sections of Canada, and his death will be sincerely and deeply mourned.

WM. WAINWRIGHT.

The Canadian railway world has sustained another notable loss, this time in the death of William Wainwright, vice-president of the Grand Trunk system. There was much in common between Mr. Wainwright and Sir William Whyte, who recently predeceased him. Both came from the United Kingdom and began their railway careers in humble circumstances. Both forged to the front through merit and force of character. The analogy might be carried further, for they were very much alike in disposition. Like his lamented contemporary, Mr. Wainwright never permitted the glamor of his high position to affect those qualities for which he was esteemed by everyone with whom he came in contact through the various stages of his career, nor to make him forget that he was a working railroad man. His loss will be severely felt by the great transportation company which for fifty years had benefited from his valued services, as well as by the country at large.

SHOULD NOT LIE DOWN.

We trust the city council, board of trade and other public bodies will make another effort to induce the government to provide in the current year's estimates for the Seymour Narrows survey. We are convinced that if they press hard enough the Minister of Public Works will comply with their request. They have the government's promise of two years ago and the assurance of the minister in this city last August. The entire representation of the province at Ottawa supports the administration. In the face of all these considerations, the prospect of having something done this year ought not to be hopeless.

All that has been asked is that a survey be undertaken in order that the scheme may be laid fully before the government and parliament. This is a modest request, a hundred times more modest than the requests with which the government is being bombarded daily and with many of which there is prompt compliance. If our readers could glance over the list of estimates now before the House they would feel that what we are seeking is the height of moderation.

A contemporary raised the point that we were trying to make capital out of the situation. This is nonsense on the face of it. If political capital was what we wanted it would be to our advantage if the government did nothing at all, for that would form the basis of criticism. But we are urging, and have urged for two years, that the survey as promised be undertaken, and we are justified in protesting against the action of the minister in refusing to implement his assurance, a refusal unaccompanied by an explanation of any kind.

We are told that when "a minister of the crown states the time when he would find it convenient to hear representations, it must not be an unreasonable thing to fall in with his wishes, unless they clearly mean an indefinite postponement." We candidly confess that we are unable to appreciate the attitude of the morning paper on this matter. It knows that the government has heard all the representations possible on the subject. We sent a deputation to Ottawa two years ago and the ratepayers bore a portion of the expenses. Did it make no representations? What about the representations made to Hon. Mr. Rogers during his visit here last summer? Was it not reasonable to assume that Mr. Rogers had heard sufficient when he told us that he was looking around for a competent engineer to do the work? It appears to us that antagonistic interests are standing in the way of the scheme from the very start, and if we sit back with folded arms it will be a confession that our agitation is merely a flash in the pan and need not be taken seriously.

THE RIFLE RANGE.

Local militiamen will be interested, though possibly somewhat confused, by the following extract from the Hansard report of the highly entertaining efforts of the Minister of Militia to steer his estimates through the house last week:

There is an item of about \$125,000 for a new rifle range in Victoria, B. C. That is a transference of account. We have a range in this city worth \$1,000,000. It is dangerous, and the city wants to get rid of it. I demanded of the public works department that they build my rifle range and charge it up, but I have not got a dollar.

Mr. Lemieux: Is the rifle range at Victoria to be used as a public park? Mr. Sam Hughes: The old one, yes. That is what they want. They have given the public works department of this country nearly a million dollars' worth of property. Our rifle range has gone to the public works department. The public works department, it is supposed, will swap the two properties.

Mr. Lemieux: At what do you value yours? Mr. Sam Hughes: Three-quarters of a million, and I am going to get it out of the public works department. No matter whether it is a city corporation or another department, I intend to fight for the militia department after this—and I have been doing it all along.

Hansard shows that although Col. Hughes's estimates held the floor for four hours not a cent was passed. This

is easily understood if the foregoing is accepted as a specimen of the coherence with which he explained the various details of his fourteen million dollar outlay. Following up the loose ends of the discourse, however, we gather that progress on the new rifle range is delayed by a dispute between the department of militia and defence and the department of public works, or in other words, between the Hon. Sam. Hughes and the Hon. Robert Rogers. Colonel Hughes says the city has given the department of public works nearly a million dollars' worth of property; and that, therefore, the department should pay for the range. He evidently refers to the foreshore along Dallas road transferred to the federal government in connection with the breakwater scheme. His estimate of value is rather inaccurate, but it is as near as the minister comes to anything in making a speech.

Colonel Hughes's public attack on the department of a colleague is unprecedented and childish. It does not indicate harmony in the cabinet. If he desires to go ahead with the new rifle range here all he needs to do is to insert a sum to cover the cost in his estimates in the usual way after having obtained the sanction of his colleagues in the cabinet. From the fact that this has not been done we must conclude that the finance minister has clapped the lid on the militia estimates and Colonel Hughes is trying to bully or bluff the Minister of Public Works into paying for the work. If this is his only recourse we will have to whistle for our rifle range, because the Hon. Bob. Rogers is not easily bullied, while, as for bluffing he is a past master. Besides, the department of public works does not build rifle ranges. In the meantime, while this squabble is going merrily on at Ottawa, several hundred marksmen in Victoria are trying vainly to accommodate themselves to a range inadequate for more than a third the number.

KNIGHTLY LAMENTATIONS.

We are sorry for Sir John Willison. His knightly countenance is sad and his noble brow is overcast. The condition of Canada weighs heavily upon his heart. In short, the good knight carries a most rueful countenance, and, after the fashion of the British nobility and gentry, whom he represents in Canada, he has shuffled off his load of woe by writing about it to the London Times. But the thrifty Sir John differs from the home correspondents of the Thunderer which no longer thunders with effect in that he gets well paid for his lamentations over the departure of the "good old times."

The garbled correspondent of the Times gives as the reason for the gloom that encompasseth him as a mantle an alleged disquietude for the future of Canada. Our private opinion is that Sir John really is wrapt in despair because the Borden government which he supported so strongly in the late election after bolting the political principles he espoused for so many years has made such a palpable mess of everything and has reduced the country to such a pass that there is a strong feeling that as soon as an opportunity occurs there will be a change. Of course such a contretemps would prove a terrible blow to the self-esteem of Sir John Willison. Hence it is no wonder that he feels that Canada is going to the dogs. Too many foreigners are coming in, he says, and our young men are playing baseball and paying good Canadian money to see baseball played.

But, if it comes down to facts, we are not sure that baseball is not as much a Canadian as it is an American game. It was played in Guelph, Ont., almost, if not quite, as early in its history as it was played in the two or three cities in the United States in which it achieved popularity—and it was played so well that the old Maple Leafs of that town were the acknowledged peers of the best teams on the continent. Furthermore, we know that Sir John Willison in days when he little dreamt of being created a knight of the twentieth century attended games played between the Maple Leafs of Guelph and the Tecumsehs of London, and rooted hard for the home club, while never a thought entered his head that baseball was destined to become a menace to the future of the empire.

If Canada were as prosperous to-day as it was during the term of office of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, once a close friend and confidant of Sir John Willison, there would be no misgivings in the mind of the latter gentleman respecting the future of the country. It would be just as logical to say that the United States is in danger of becoming Anglicized because thousands upon thousands of Americans, young and old, are taking up with enthusiasm the Scotch game of golf, as it is to predict that Canada may be lost to the empire because some of her young men are interested in baseball.

It may be that Huerta as a factor in the Mexican trouble may be eliminated entirely ere the South American peace commissioners have a chance to straighten out the tangle. In that case Uncle Sam's dogs of war will be called off. But the mission of the

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BILL AND DAN

[This original song, sung at the annual Press Gallery dinner, Ottawa, was written by S. H. Howard, parliamentary correspondent of The Toronto Star.]

Come all you newbies if you want to hear
The story brave of an emperor,
And a railroad built, so runs the tale,
With a shoe-lace and a shingle-nail.
Come all ye statesmen, lend your ear
To the story told of a financier
Who joined the two great salted seas
With chilled-steel nerve and subsidies.

Chorus—
Bill and Dan—the heroes of the lobby,
Bill and Dan—the special private car,
Bill and Dan each has a little hobby—
They want to build a nation on the C.N.R.

Said Dan to Bill: "There's cattle on the hills,
There's wheat on the prairie far from the mill;
There's virgin sod all ready for the plow.
What we want out there is a railroad now."

Said Bill to Dan: "As you're aware,
A prairie road's not made with prayer.
What we need first and most," said he,
"Is a wee land grant and a subsidy."

Chorus—
Bill and Dan—Snoopin' round the lobby;
Bill and Dan—they left the private car;
Bill and Dan, each has his private hobby;
They're fond of legislation for the C.N.R.

Said Dan to Bill: "We need spike nails,
Tannapac ties and rolled steel rails,
And dago men to shovel dirt—
I'll build that road or eat my shirt."
Said Bill to Dan: "That's very true,
That's the way it seems to you.
What we need now, it seems to me,
Is gilt-edged bonds and a guarantee."

Chorus—
Bill and Dan put up an awful lobby,
Bill and Dan brought up the private car,
Bill and Dan each has a little hobby;
They want to build a nation on the C.N.R.

Said Dan to Bill: "I've always felt
Like openin' up that there clay belt,
Ontario's got some timber, too—
Suppose we run that line right through!"
Said Bill to Dan: "Your talk is wise,
What I like to see is enterprise;
We'll get a grant of farmin' clay,
And a bonus, too, to make it pay."

Chorus—
Bill and Dan—the heroes of the lobby,
Bill and Dan—pleading at the bar;
Bill and Dan each has a little hobby;
They take a special interest in the C.N.R.

Said Dan to Bill: "The trails are high;
The mountaintops are grazed by the sky;
The creeks are deep, and the canyons
wide,
But we've got to tan the western tide."

Said Bill to Dan: "I'm much afraid
It's a heavy haul to make the grade;
You can't squeeze money out of stone—
Let's negotiate a federal loan."

Chorus—
Bill and Dan—loafin' round the lobby;
Bill and Dan look ahead so far;
Bill and Dan each has a little hobby;
They look to see the action on the C.N.R.

Said Dan to Bill: "The air seems chill,
The west's changed on Parliament Hill;
There are draughts in the halls, and the
And the premier's brow is lined with
care."

Said Bill to Dan: "As sure's you're
born,
The fat's in the fire; the bull's in the
corn.
We must stand pat in the time of need;
The Calgary herd is on stampede."

Chorus—
Bill and Dan linger in the lobby,
Chatting in the corridor, passing out
cigars;
Bill and Dan look just a little sobby;
They want to know what fate will be
the C.N.R.'s.

NEW ETHICS FOR POLITICIANS NEEDED.

Montreal Daily Mail.
Sometimes there seems to be abroad in this country a disposition on the part of public men to regard their obligations as servants of the people too lightly. Men engaged in business which is influenced by legislation seem at times loth to sever compromising business connections when they obtain political preferment. There appears to be need in Canada of general recognition of a new code of ethics for representatives of the people, a code broad enough and strict enough to protect the public duty as had been evidenced time and again of late by raising the standard of public action.

WORST THAN EVANTUREL.

St. Thomas Journal.
One act of wrong-doing does not excuse another. Still Mr. Ewanturel in the employ of the liquor party would be no worse than a member of the government accepting an out and out gratuity from a contractor with whom he was transacting public business. Besides, Mr. Ewanturel as the paid agent of the liquor men would, after all, stand in no worse public light than members of the Conservative side of the House who hold office on the strength of contributions by the very association whom Mr. Ewanturel was so anxious to serve for a consideration.

UNORGANIZED LABOR'S LOT.

Ottawa Citizen.
It is a noteworthy fact that unorganized labor is always down nearest to the existence level; the most strongly organized will usually have the best working conditions.

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Men's Fine Grade Washing Ties, fast colors, in stripes and bar styles. Regular 50¢. Saturday 35¢; 3 for **\$1.00**
Men's Suede and Chamois Gloves for summer wear, in grey, tan, fawn and yellow. Regular values \$1.00. Saturday **75¢**

Sale of Silks Saturday

Brocade Charmeuse Satins, Brocade Crepe de Chines and Silks, also Plain and Fancy Crepes. Regular \$3.75 yard. Saturday, yard **\$1.50**
Brocade Rattines. Regular \$2.50. Saturday **\$1.25**
Corded Rattines, regular \$1.25. Saturday **65¢**
Ratine Stripe Crepes and a Few Ratine Muslins. Regular \$1.00, for **50¢**

\$1.25 to \$1.75 Shirtwaists \$1.00

All new styles, V-neck, drop shoulder, etc., in many dainty styles. Values up to \$1.75. Friday at **\$1.00**

Besides the above, we are selling a quantity of High-Neck Waists at 75¢; were \$1.50. While these Waists are not so desirable as to style, those who want a good, serviceable Waist at a bargain will do well to consider this offering.

The New Balkan Effects in Children's Tub Dresses

Just the kind of dress your girl will want to wear this Summer. These dresses are all in the new Balkan effects, some having loose and others stitched-on bolts. These styles are very attractive, and all who have already seen them are delighted with them. The materials include gingham, prints, chambrays, cotton crepe, pique, ratine, and other novelty weaves; some in plain white, others in self colors, and still others in checks, stripes and floral effects, and others neatly trimmed in contrasting shades. All sizes to fit girls from 2 to 14 years, and we advise you to bring your girls along early, while the selection of styles, colors and sizes is at its best. Sizes from 2 to 6 years at **\$1.00**
Sizes from 2 to 14 years at \$1.50 to **\$7.50**

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Boys' Puritan Shirt Waists, Special at 75¢

The trim, snug-fitting Waist, made on the true blouse pattern, instead of straight cut down at sides, gathered at the waist by the "Puritan" adjusters; comfort all the time. No strings to knot, pull out or break. The most comfortable, smartest looking blouse for boys. The material, color and workmanship guaranteed. Shirts are finished with attached turn-down collar, with pointed fronts, and you can choose from light and dark stripes, grey, Oxford grey and black. Our special price, each **75¢**

Boys' "Collegiate" Shirts

A smart, dressy Shirt for schoolboys. They are made from fine quality cambrics, in deep cream, white, light grey and fancy light stripes; cut coat shape and finished with soft, double cuffs and a separate double collar goes with each shirt. Splendid value for **\$1.25**

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Women's Lisle Hose, a nice, soft finish, in colors black, tan and white; plain and lace. Per pair, 75¢, 65¢, 50¢ and **35¢**
Colored Lisle Hose. Per pair **50¢**
Women's Cotton Hose, black, with white feet, also all black. Per pair, 50¢, 35¢ and **25¢**

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Balbriggan Underwear for Women

Women's Cotton Vests; fine, even rib, short and no sleeves, fancy and plain tops. Special, each **15¢**
Ladies' Vests. Low neck and short sleeves, also low neck and no sleeves, fancy front **35¢**
Ladies' Vests. Open mesh, low neck, short sleeves, also low neck and no sleeves. Special at **25¢**
Children's Vests. High neck and long sleeves, sizes 1 to 14 years **25¢**
Drawers to match **25¢**
Children's Combinations. Low neck, short sleeves, loose knee **35¢**

Cotton Drawers of fine cotton, made in open and closed styles, loose and tight knee; O. S. sizes. Special at **25¢**
Combinations. Low neck and no sleeves, also low neck and short sleeves, tight and loose knee **75¢**
Combinations. Open mesh, short sleeves and low neck, also low neck and no sleeves; loose and tight knee **50¢**
Ladies' Vests. High neck and long sleeves, also Drawers to match, in loose and tight knee; open and closed. Per garment **50¢**

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Here on Business.—F. W. Peters, divisional superintendent of the C. P. R. at Vancouver, came to the capital this morning to deal with several matters of departmental business. While here he will play with Vancouver golf team in its inter-city match against the Victoria club.

Free Miners' Licenses.—The provincial mines department reminds the public interested that all free miners' licenses expire on May 31. The license fee is \$5, but in the event of renewals not being made in time applicants may secure a special license for six months. The fee for this is \$15, but it does not protect the holder against third parties who may stake on ground previously held under the regular license.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Wm. Stewart, Men's and Ladies' Tailor, A. Campbell building, corner Fort and Douglas street.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1221; Secretary, 1217.

Needless Operations and Expense Avoided by having your dental work done by Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government street.

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Show Cases.—\$9 per foot and up. We design and fit up complete stores of every description. Call up Victoria Show Case Co., 2936. Factory, 2207 Government St.

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Victoria Gaelic Society will hold a dance in the Foresters' hall on Friday, May 15. Gents, 50¢; ladies free. Mrs. Ridgard's orchestra.

Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant. Successful operations daily.

For Sale.—A number of 10-foot dinghies and row-boats and one 18-foot launch hull, all brand new at second-hand prices. Apply E. B. Marvin & Co., 1202 Wharf street.

Furniture.—Prices were never so low in Victoria before. Note these prices on absolutely new goods: Solid oak dressers, in 2, 3, 4 and 5 drawer cases, with British bevel plate mirrors, \$10.90, \$11.90, \$12.75, \$13.90, and \$15.90; 5-drawer solid oak chiffonier with square or oval mirror, only \$8.25; full-size iron beds, best white enamel, \$2.25, \$2.90, \$3.10, \$3.50, \$3.90; brass rail beds, full size (the kind you always paid \$6.75 for) our price \$4.50; Restmore mattresses, springs and pillows at the lowest prices. Chairs, tables, etc., at exceptionally low prices. Galloway's Furniture Store, 2649 Douglas St., near Hillside Ave.

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Give the Bride a nice silverine glass, ice cream set. It consists of one large serving dish and six individual footed nappies. It makes a most attractive and useful present. \$2 at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1302 Douglas St.

Examinations for Assayers.—An examination for assayers will be held by the provincial department of mines on Monday next and following days at the parliament buildings.

New School Buildings.—Tenders are being called for by the provincial department of public works for the erection of a large one-room school house at Grantham, in Comox district.

Dental College Council.—Dr. H. T. Minogue, registrar of the College of Dental Surgeons of British Columbia, has been elected unopposed as a member of the council for a term of five years.

Committee Meets June 8.—The Rhodes scholarship committee for this district, the lieutenant-governor, Chief Justice Hunter and Dr. Alex. Robinson, meets on June 8 to discuss the matter of the next award.

Pictures of Lumber Industry.—Moving pictures will be taken of various phases of the lumber industry at Shavangan lake to-day with a number of very large logs at present in the lake. The pictures are to be used by the department of agriculture.

Courtenay's Incorporation.—Herbert E. A. Robertson, Vancouver, who has been appointed as a royal commission to inquire into all matters in connection with the proposed incorporation of Courtenay, will hold his first sitting at the courthouse in Courtenay on Tuesday next, May 19, at 10 o'clock.

New Pound Districts.—Pound districts will be formed within the statutory time after the giving of notice in this week's B. C. Gazette of the district of Nanaimo, in the county of Osoyoos, and of the school districts of Perry's Sliding and Appledale, in the Siccan valley.

Gets Edward Medal.—Robert Henderson, of Cumberland, is to be the recipient at an early date of an Edward medal of the second class for his heroism in rescuing a number of native miners in Natal during a mine fire which partially suffocated them. The presentation will be made publicly in behalf of the imperial government.

Rural Co-operation.—A certificate of incorporation under the Agricultural Associations act has been granted by the minister of agriculture to the Agricultural Co-operative association of the Municipality of Surrey, with all the usual powers of such a body. The headquarters of the association will be at Port Kells, and its capital is \$10,000, in one thousand ten-dollar shares.

Provincial Appointments.—The following appointments are announced in the B. C. Gazette this week: Dudley Michel, South Wellington, to be instructor in first-aid work at the metalliferous mines in the province; Edward W. Bickle, Cumberland, to be police magistrate, magistrate under the Small Debts Court act and coronor in that city; Norman H. Westler, South Fort George, to be a notary public; William H. Jones, Grand Prairie, and Frank Tarry, Tarrys, to be justices of the peace; Henry T. Kraemer, to be a clerk in the office of the government agent at Quesnel; Chester F. Boyd, to be a clerk in the office of the assessor and collector at Quesnel, vice Kraemer.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, Wednesday, May 15, 1889.

The Abyssinia sailed for the Orient yesterday afternoon with about 600 tons of freight and eleven passengers.

A gang of shipwrights is at present busy recaulking H. M. S. Amphion. The circus, which showed here, was taken to Nanaimo at an early hour this morning on a special train.

The by-law to guarantee five per cent. interest on the bonds of the National Electric Tramway company for a term of years, voted on yesterday, was carried, 548 votes being cast in favor and only 75 against. The boxes were collected in the city hall and the ballots counted there, after which the returning officer declared the poll.

The mayor and several of the military officers inspected Beacon Hill to-day to locate the positions of the militia and the point of landing for the men from the men-of-war at the sham-battle on May 25. The ground was carefully gone over and the necessary arrangements made.

Store Looted.—A thief last night broke into the store of McKenzie Bros., corner of Douglas street and Burnside road, and stole a quantity of tobacco, gum, candy, etc. Entrance was gained through a rear window.

No Entries After 5 p. m. To-day.—Entries will be received up to 5 o'clock this evening for the various sporting events and other competitions to take place on Victoria Day by J. B. McCullum, secretary of the committee in charge. There are no entry fees, but names must be entered promptly to assist the committee in making arrangements.

Must Muzzle Dogs.—The muzzling of dogs in the Cowichan district by order of the provincial board of health has been extended to the Indian reserves by a new order from the Dominion board. Rabies is suspected in the district and all dogs must be either chained or muzzled. Lack of supervision over the Indian reserves hampered the province in its efforts to stamp out the disease.

Held for Theft.—Charged with breaking into and entering the premises of W. Miller, plumber, 920 Pandora avenue, a twelve-year-old lad was arrested yesterday by Detectives Turner and Siciliano. The premises were ransacked and the contents of drawers and boxes thrown about the place. The only thing stolen, however, appeared to be a pocket knife, which the lad was found to have in his possession.

Begin Summer Vacation.—At the last meeting of the Natural History society it was decided to begin the summer vacation. No further regular meetings will therefore be held until September. The field meeting which had been arranged for next Saturday, May 16, at which the late Mr. Sutton was to have taken a leading part in the geological branch, has been regretfully cancelled. Further field meetings will be announced later.

Benevolent Societies.—Under the provisions of the Benevolent Societies act certificates of incorporation have been issued to the Order of the Royal Purple, a Vancouver organization of ladies for benevolent, provident, moral, charitable and religious purposes, and to the Vancouver Summer Festival association, for purposes described in its name. Rossland Italiana Co-operative Association, Ltd., is what its name indicates.

Conforming to Law.—Since the Trusts Companies act came into force companies throughout the province have been reorganizing their articles of association and by-laws in accordance with the law, so as to define clearly whether or not they carry on a trust company business. In the current issue of the B. C. Gazette notice is given of the action taken at recent meetings of shareholders of the British Pacific Trust Co., Ltd., Vancouver Island Properties and Securities, Limited, Port Mann Properties, Limited, Home Loan and Contract Co., Ltd., and Vancouver Security and Loan Co., Ltd.

Incorporation Granted.—During the week the following concerns have been granted certificates of incorporation by the registrar of joint stock companies: Altin Fur Farming Co., Ltd., Altin, capital \$25,000; B. C. Chemical Refrigerator Co., Ltd., Nelson, capital \$10,000; British North America Lime Co., Ltd., Vancouver, capital \$300,000; Cedare Cottage Amusement Co., Ltd., Vancouver, capital \$4,000; The Edgett's Stores, Limited, Vancouver, capital \$10,000; Juan Lopez Clear Co., Ltd., Vancouver, capital \$15,000; Fogues' Automatic Car Fenders, Ltd., New Westminster, capital \$50,000; Wellington Lumber Co., Ltd., Nanaimo, capital \$50,000. Linquist & Lund, Seattle, have been registered as an extra-provincial company. The Aetna Insurance Co. has been licensed to transact business in the province.

FIXING UP THE SUMMER HOME

People are already beginning to plan for their summer vacations. Once again the newspaper proves to be their best friend—whether they want to select their hotel or cottage, or buy the furnishings they will need.

Glance through the advertising in to-day's Times and see how well it answers the questions in your mind.

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NEW ENGINEER

Son of Minister of Militia Supercedes J. S. MacLachlan as Resident District Engineer.

From a reply given in the House of Commons by Hon. Robert Rogers on May 7 it is apparent that the government has made a position for a son of the minister of militia and defence who has been a resident of this city for the past couple of years.

Garnet B. Hughes succeeds J. S. MacLachlan as resident district engineer of the federal public works department for Vancouver island with his headquarters here, and he has held the new position since April 9, at a salary of \$3,000 per year.

Mr. MacLachlan, who came here as resident engineer two years ago, continues on but in the position of resident engineer on the Victoria harbor works, at the same salary, \$3,000. He is a young Irishman with splendid qualifications for the work he has now as well as for that which he has just left.

Mr. Hughes has been engaged with the B. C. Electric Railway company since he came to the coast.

Hired Vehicles By-law.—The special committee which is charged with the revision of the hired vehicles by-law met this forenoon for the first time and made some progress on the work, which will be somewhat extensive, as the by-law is a bulky one and it is one on which frequent prosecutions are based. There were present to-day Aldermen Porter and McCandless, City Solicitor Robertson and Traffic Inspector James Palmer.

Playgrounds Open.—The city playgrounds in Beacon Hill park and North Ward park commenced the summer season this afternoon at half-past two o'clock, although, of course, they have been in constant use by the children all the year. Miss Jarvis and R. E. Crompton are again in charge of the Beacon Hill playgrounds, and Miss Lewis and Walter Small are at North Ward park. The Beacon Hill supervisors will arrange a series of games there in connection with the Victoria Day celebration.

Buildings for Sale.—As a preliminary to the cutting through of the roadway of Pendragan street, between Vancouver street and Heywood avenue, the frame dwelling-house which stands on the latter avenue, square on what will be the street-end, has to be removed, and as it is a perfectly sound and valuable bit of property City Treasurer Smith will auction it off next Tuesday at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. It is 943 Heywood, and is a five-room bungalow. At the same time Mr. Smith will auction off a barn and a two-storey stable at Stadacona park. All these buildings must be removed from the site within one month.

Old Established Firm Changes Name.—The last issue of the Government Gazette records the formation of the E. W. Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd. The new company takes over the business so long and successfully carried on by Moore & Whittington as lumber dealers, sash and door manufacturers, etc. It is the intention to make a specialty of furnishing dressed lumber, mouldings, sash, doors, stair work, band-sawing and turning, and all kinds of interior trim. The rough and dimension lumber as in the past will be cut at the mill of the Moore Whittington Lumber Co., Ltd., almost adjoining the new company's premises.

To Aid Newfoundlanders.—The band of the Fifth regiment, under Bandmaster Rogers, will give a benefit concert at the Gorge next Sunday in aid of the dependent survivors of the Newfoundlanders. The concert will commence at 3 p. m., and the committee in charge of the fund hopes that a substantial assistance will be given by those who are visiting at the Gorge during the afternoon. The programme is to be an exceptionally fine one, and in addition to the band members will be solos by two artists. The committee's report of the fund is very gratifying to all who are interested in the facts, and it is hoped that with the proceeds of next Sunday's collection the amount will be quite considerably augmented.



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There was a necessity for a great

span than usual in the west end of the building, as the floor of the hall there lies over the swimming pool, and in that section the floor had to be almost doubled and the columns on which it lies strengthened and carried down nearly thirty feet to the solid rock.

Parfitt Brothers are very proud of the job which was accomplished yesterday, the pouring of some nine hundred tons of concrete in the making of one monolithic structure being a record in Canada. The material used is all Canadian and the work has been carried out by Canadians entirely.

Hindu Robbed.—Last evening Surdar Singh, a Hindu, reported that he had been set upon in the Grand Pacific hotel, and had been assaulted and robbed of \$15 by two Hindus. He presented a very dejected and battered appearance when he arrived at the police station to report.

U. S. MEXICO TROUBLE--FIRST SCENES IN MOTION PICTURES

At Romano Theatre To-day and To-morrow.

The Universal Film Manufacturing Co. has secured special privileges from the U. S. government to make moving pictures of the mix-up between that country and Mexico. A staff of photographers for the Universal Animated Weekly went down with the first battleships to Vera Cruz, and have been actively engaged in the making of pictures ever since. The first of the pictures will be shown at the Romano theatre to-day and to-morrow, and show the American fleet leaving New York, and various preparations for action. Next week's animated weekly will contain several scenes made at Vera Cruz, such as the landing of marines and blue jackets, and the taking of the city by American forces.

The balance of the pictures at this theatre for to-day and to-morrow are also of the highest order. "The Fawns of Destiny," a three-reel production by the Victor Co., featuring Miss Florence Lawrence and Owen Moore, contains several thrilling situations. The great fire in the lodging house, being one of the number. "The Career of Waterloo-Peterson," a rip-roaring comedy by Rex, shows the inner workings of the moving picture business, and how a green camera man spoiled the best dramatic sensation of the year. "Hawthorne and the Cheese" is another very funny comedy by Powers.

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COMING FOR LUMBER

CARGO END OF MAY

Robert Dollar Reports at San Pedro, Comes Here After Call at Frisco

Towards the close of this month the big British freighter Robert Dollar, which has just arrived on this coast from the Orient, will come to Victoria en route to Genoa Bay, where she is to load 5,000,000 feet of Vancouver Island lumber for use in the extensive harbor works at Toronto. The steamship is now bound from San Pedro to San Francisco, and after discharging the Oriental cargo she has for the Bay City she will be dispatched north. She is not expected in until after Victoria Day.

The mills at Genoa Bay have for some time past been cutting the lumber which will comprise the Dollar's huge shipment. The mill is not a very large one, but it is working long shifts and the logs are being sent through, and the piles are rapidly increasing in size. The plant will have to cut 24,000,000 feet, but it is not thought likely that more than one cargo will be sent to the east this year.

May Not Be First Through. Some time ago it was reported that the Robert Dollar would probably be the first steamship to be piloted through the Panama canal from the westward. It looks now as though she will lose that proud honor. The steamship Isthmian, of the American-Hawaiian company, has left San Francisco for New York, and the officers fully expect to steam through the canal. If the great ditch is not ready by that time for mercantile commerce, the Isthmian's cargo is to be carried through on barges. The Robert Dollar will be fully three weeks at Genoa Bay, and she will not reach Balboa until about July 1. There is no doubt but that she will be the first ship carrying a lumber cargo to cleave the waters of the new waterway.

The Dollar company has the contract for the delivery of the lumber, and after the Robert Dollar's cargo has left five other ships will be required to transport the remainder of the material.

AVE MARIE IS HOME

FROM FIRST CRUISE

Steamer Has Very Successful Maiden Trip to West Coast Halibut Banks

Completing a very successful maiden cruise in the fishing industry, the steamer Ave Marie, Capt. Louis Anderson, returned to port this morning. She brought in 35,000 pounds of halibut, one of the largest shipments to be brought in her by a single bottom. Fine weather favored the vessel and on her homeward trip a strong westerly gale and sea sprang up just as she was off the Scott Islands and with combined sail and steam power the former sealer logged the run to Victoria in 30 hours, which is good time for a fisherman. The Ave Marie was away from port only nine days, but the good weather enabled her fishermen to make a good haul in quick time. The steamer was forced to lie in Ucluelet one day owing to trouble with her condenser and as the conditions outside were fine and the crew did not wish to lose the opportunity of making a good catch, they assembled in their dorics and rowed ten miles off-shore. The six boats gathered 8,000 pounds of fish that day.

Get Away Immediately. As soon as the Ave Marie gets rid of her fish she will head for the west coast banks again. Captain Victor Jacobsen, owner of the steamer, is well pleased with the results of the maiden cruise. He has tried the Ave Marie in several businesses, and now thinks he has struck the right one. The vessel is well known here. When the sealing industry was brought to a close in 1911 the Ave Marie was converted from a schooner into a steamer, the engines being secured from the wrecked tug Ranger. The vessel went into the coasting freight trade, but this did not pay. Dorics were then built and the steamer outfitted for fishing.

BUTTER CARGOES DROP

SHIPS SAILS ON TIME

Marama Leaves Auckland Without Suffering Delay; Good Passenger List

For the first time since the New Zealand butter season opened about five months ago, a Canadian-Australian liner has departed from Auckland on schedule time. Advice has just been received here announcing the sailing of the red-stacker Marama, Capt. Rolfe, from the New Zealand port on May 8. As good weather is now prevailing on the Pacific the Marama should make Victoria on her scheduled date, which is Tuesday, May 26. During the past five months the greatest amount of butter ever shipped to Canada from the Antipodes was brought in by the Canadian-Australian fleet. The Niagara brought in close to 1,000,000 pounds each on two trips, and the Marama and Makura augmented the importations with shipments that taxed their refrigerating capacities. The bulk of the butter was loaded at Auckland and in some instances the ships lost over 24 hours in getting the shipments aboard. In the case of the Niagara this time was easily made up, but the smaller steamships were unable to catch up to their schedules and were late arriving here.

Freight Is Smaller. As a result of the cessation in the shipping of butter to Canada the inward cargoes on the Australian vessels will be materially affected. The advice received here state that the freight consigned to this port on the Marama is under 100 tons, which is a condition not known of for some time. Vancouver's butter festival has also suffered in the same way. The Marama is bringing in a fair list of passengers, having 202 on board when she cleared from Auckland. This list will be considerably augmented by calls at Suva and Honolulu. Many British Columbians who have been at the Hawaiian Islands on visits are booked to join the ship at Honolulu.

WIRELESS REPORTS

May 15, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Cloudy; N. W. strong; 29.94; 44.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; N. W. light; 30.02; 55; light swell, spoke, 5.33 a. m.

S. S. Prince George abeam; northbound. Tatoosh.—Part cloudy; S. W. 6 miles; 30.06; 50; sea moderate. Out, 5.45 a. m.

S. S. Devonport; 6 a. m., S. S. Queen Eugene; 6.40 a. m., S. S. Rainier.

Pachena.—Cloudy; E. 29.76; 48; heavy swell. Spoke, S. S. Tees at Ucluelet, 11.0 p. m.

Estevan.—Clear; W. 29.72; 47; light swell. Spoke, 12.30 a. m., S. S. Mexico.

maru, 8 p. m., position 51.27, N. 135.51 W.

Triangle.—Cloudy; N. 30.17; 44; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess Beatrice; 8 p. m., off Pine Island; 12.15 a. m., S. S. Niagara, 45.53 N. 129.37 W.

Ikeda.—Clear; calm; 30.06; 50; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; calm; 29.93; 42; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point.—Clear; calm; 30.08; 52; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; N. W., 29.95; 48; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Cloudy; N. W., fresh; 30.04; 50; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; N. W., light; 30.00; 53; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Clear; W., 16 miles; 30.10; 50; sea rough.

Pachena.—Clear; calm; 29.70; 52; sea moderate.

Estevan.—Clear; W., 29.80; 51; sea smooth. Spoke, 8.15 a. m., S. S. Princess Maquinna leaving Clayoquot, northbound.

Triangle.—Clear; N. W., fresh; 30.20; 50; sea moderate. Spoke, 7.20 a. m., S. S. Cyclops, 50.32 N., 134.07 W.; 9.20 a. m., S. S. Princess Ena, Pine Island, northbound; 10.15, S. S. Empress of Asia, 49.35 N., 129.51 W.

Ikeda.—Clear; S. E.; 29.98; 50; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; N. W., strong; 29.98; 58. Spoke, 30, S. S. Corwin, northbound; 7 a. m., S. S. Celtic, northbound.

Dead Tree Point.—Cloudy; N. W., 30.01; 54; sea smooth.

FISHERMAN LOST FOR DAY.

Neah Bay, Wash., May 15.—Two halibut fishermen, Hans Hansen and Andrew Haugh, adrift all night in a dory twice swamped and oars washed away, were picked up yesterday by the Bahadur Point life-saving crew.

The dory became lost from the halibut schooner Olaf in the sudden west wind that came up on Wednesday afternoon. The Olaf searched for the lost dory until about 10 p. m., but finding no trace of it, gave it up as lost, as heavy seas were running by that time.

The Olaf came into Neah Bay, but seemingly did not report the loss of the dory. The life-saving crew were first notified by the weather bureau at 8 o'clock yesterday morning that a dory flying distress signals was sighted about five miles southwest of Tatoosh, and went out and brought them in and placed them aboard the schooner, which was anchored in the bay here. They were about collapsing from exposure.

HALF OF BIG STRATH FLEET DUE ON COAST

Fifteen Freighters Have Been Chartered for Pacific Coast Business

San Francisco, May 15.—Another Strath steamer has just been chartered for lumber to Australia. The American Trading company took the vessel for Newcastle, Port Pirie range, at 3a. 1 1/2 d., with the option of Sydney at 3s. September-October loading.

It is understood that this firm has sold another cargo for Australia and will take another vessel in a few days. There are now about 15 vessels of the Strath line under charter for Pacific coast business. The line comprises about 32 steamers.

The British steamer Bessie Dollar has just sailed for Gray's Harbor, where she will load lumber for Manila. She will finish her cargo on Puget Sound.

There is great hope on the part of the American-Hawaiian officials that the steamer Isthmian, which left here for New York two days ago, will be able to go through the canal. It was announced a couple of weeks ago that, barring unforeseen circumstances, the canal would be open May 15.

The Isthmian has orders to stop at Panama and if the prospects are not good for a passage she will continue on around the Horn.

The British ship St. Mirren has been chartered by the Hawaiian Fertilizer company for cargo from Hamburg to Honolulu. The British barque Kinrosshire left Hamburg for the same firm April 25.

Charles R. McCormick & Co., who are having a steam schooner built on the Columbia, have announced that the vessel will be named Latourelle. She will ply between here and Portland.

GOLD MINING UNDERWAY ON PRINCESS ROYAL ID.

Considerable development is now in progress at Surf Inlet, west coast of Princess Royal Island, according to news brought in by the G. T. P. steamer Prince John, Capt. Wearmouth, which was in port from the north this morning. The Tonopah Belmont Development company is now conducting gold mining operations and a large gang of men finds employment there. The G. T. P. has arranged to have the steamers Prince John and Prince Alibi call at Surf Inlet on all their trips. The officers of the John report a splendid trip to Prince Rupert and the Queen Charlotte Islands. Fishing on the Skeena and Naas rivers is light, and the Mekeet and Skidegate Indians are not making very large hauls of salmon. At the Naden Harbor whaling station a number of big mammals have been cut up, according to the men on the John.

The Prince John cleared on another trip to the north at 10 o'clock this morning.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 14.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Beaver, Portland; sch. S. F. Alexander, Everett. Sailed: Str. Nippon Maru, Hongkong; Mongolia, Hongkong; Norwegian str. Bugge, Tocopilla.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Steam. sch. Fairhaven, San Francisco; steam sch. Klamath, San Francisco; Norwegian str. Cuzco, Puget Sound; gasoline sch. Mirene, Waldport; str. General Hubbard, San Pedro. Sailed: Str. Yucatan, San Francisco and San Pedro; str. Nehalem, San Pedro; tank str. Frank H. Buck, California; Norwegian str. Christian Bors, China.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Sailed: Str. Wasp, San Jacinto, San Pedro; str. Svea, Fair Oaks, Claremont, San Francisco.

Bellingham, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Montague.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Admiral Evans, in tow of tug Gollah, Selkova; Governor, San Francisco; str. City of Seattle, Southeastern Alaska; str. Queen Eugenie, Eagle Harbor; str. Meteor, Tacoma. Sailed: Str. Humboldt, Southeastern Alaska; str. City of Puebla, San Francisco; str. Virginian, Tacoma; str. Alki, Southeastern Alaska; str. Admiral Watson, Tacoma; str. Queen Eugenie, Portland.

VICTORIA MAKES FAST RUNS. Since the steamer Princess Victoria, Capt. Hickey, returned to the triangular services she has been making some very smart passages. Coming from Seattle the flyer has been tied up at the inner docks every day before 1 o'clock in the afternoon, making the trip in better than four hours.

The steamer Princess Charlotte will be back on the triangular run next week, and the Princesses Adelaide and Alice will be used to maintain the night service between here and Vancouver.

GULF ISLANDS' SCHEDULE.

Effective on Monday next, the steamer Queen City will leave Victoria for the Gulf Islands on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays one hour earlier than has been customary in the future. She will leave here at 6 o'clock in the mornings. On the days she sails out of Vancouver to the Gulf Islands, Tuesdays and Fridays, the Queen City will sail two hours earlier, clearing the mainland port at 5 a. m.

EMPEROR OF ASIA OUT. The big C. P. R. liner Empress of Asia, Capt. Robinson, sailed for the Far East yesterday afternoon with a fair list of passengers.

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UMATILLA LEAVES BAY CITY ON NEW SCHEDULE

Taking the first northbound sailing of the new schedule which has been put into effect by the Pacific Coast Steamship company, the steamship Umatilla, Capt. Rellly, was reported sailing from San Francisco yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. In future the vessels of this fleet will clear from the Bay City on Thursdays instead of Tuesdays, arriving in Victoria either late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. The Umatilla is a slow ship and will not likely be in here until some time on the Sabbath.

This morning at 8 o'clock the steamship City of Puebla, Capt. White, left Victoria for San Francisco. Fifteen passengers embarked at this port.

USES HAM AS SMUGGLING MEDIUM ON TALTHYBUS

A ham as a smuggling medium is the latest. Word from Hongkong tells of the arrest of a Chinese on board the Blue Funnel liner Talthybus, bound from Victoria to Liverpool for attempting to smuggle ammunition into Hongkong. While searching the ship one of the officials of that port came across a fine ham. He turned it over speculatively, and on looking more closely it found that two large holes had been bored into the "preserved pork" from the thick end. Into these holes had been pushed 175 rounds of ammunition. The owner of the ham, an elderly Chinese, was arrested, and at the Hongkong magistracy he was fined at the rate of a dollar a round.

DIRIGO AGAIN IN TROUBLE.

Seattle, May 15.—After failing to get farther than Useless Bay on her first start to the north, the steamer Dirigo, of the Alaska Steamship Co., Monday while 117 miles off Cape Omak, Alaska, broke her low pressure crank shaft and was towed by the steamer Cordova, of the same line, to Juneau, where she will undergo a survey to determine whether it is necessary to have the boat brought to Seattle for repairs.

The Dirigo, which was remodeled thoroughly and fitted up to carry passengers and freight to the westward from Seward in place of the steamer Dora, was beached at Useless Bay on her first start north. She was brought back to Seattle, where it was found she was undamaged, and in charge of a new crew she again started for Cordova.

The information in possession of the officials does not give the extent of the Dirigo's damages. The wireless telling of her accident simply gave her position and the information that the crank shaft had been "carried away."

REFUSE CLEARANCE TO PACIFIC MAIL STEAMER

On board U. S. S. California, Mazatlan, Mex., May 14, via wireless to San Diego, Cal., May 15.—In spite of General Huerta's revocation of his order closing the ports of Mexico to American shipping, the port officials of Mazatlan refuse to-day to clear the Pacific Mail liner Newport for San Francisco. Rear-Admiral Doyle promptly issued papers to the Newport which would serve as clearance papers and explain to the customs collector at San Francisco the absence of an official clearance sheet.

The constitutionalists and federalists, who have been fighting incessantly for a fortnight over the possession of Mazatlan, are resting to-day and the rattle of rifles and small artillery is still for the time being at least. General Obregon, commanding the constitutionalists, had made no final move to follow up the advantage gained during the last two weeks of siege.

SEBASTIAN LEAVES PORT.

The whaler Sebastian steamed out of the harbor this morning bound for Sechart, where she will hunt the big game of the Pacific during the coming summer.

GRANT CROSS-EXAMINED

Refused to Answer One or Two Questions; Handwriting Experts Called.

J. Gordon Grant spent a large portion of the day in the witness box in an endeavor to disprove the charge of theft by tenant preferred against him in the assize court. Under examination he maintained that he had rented the house at 300 Catherine street from J. M. Chou, his business partner, not from Charlie Bo, the informant. He also said he had bought the furniture from Chou and produced a receipt for \$109 which he stated he had procured from Chou. This document he is also charged with forging and the defence called J. E. Allen as a handwriting expert. Allen thought the signature was probably written by Chou.

Under cross-examination Grant was somewhat hesitant in answering and one or two questions he refused to answer point blank, saying they were his own personal business. The case will probably go to the jury this afternoon. W. H. Bullock-Webster is prosecuting and R. C. Lowe defending.

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No trouble or expense is being spared in making these tableaux vivants as nearly exact reproductions as possible (in the life) of the original paintings represented. In costume and detail the pictures copied will be absolutely adhered to, and the ladies representing the various characters have been chosen for their resemblance, which in some cases is truly extraordinary, to the models of the pictures. The tableaux will commence with the modern German statue, depicting the fine arts, represented by Mrs. Jackson, and this will be followed by some examples of the earliest art possible, represented in some Etruscan friezes, and under direction of Miss Agnew.

The idea of these pictures is to provide something of an educational character for the younger generation and others who have never had an opportunity of seeing any of the greatest masterpieces, or to learn the various periods of art and the relation of these to each other in different countries. So, following the earliest of the examples of European art will be given a few of the early Italian paintings, these, which are in charge of two such excellent judges as Mrs. Shallock and Mrs. Simpson, including some of the more famous of the groups of angels, which should be among the most effective studies shown.

Still with the idea of giving some historic representation of the various schools of art, the Dutch school will next be represented, Mrs. Walker and Miss Crease having direction of these pictures. Some of the finest paintings of this school will be shown, notably "The Syndics," while one of the opening choruses from Wagner's "Flying Dutchman" will be given before the drawing aside of the curtains from the first canvas.

French art of the seventeenth century will be illustrated by Watteau, Laocore and le Brun, under direction of Mrs. Bowser and Mrs. Oliver Campbell, the chief picture to be Watteau's "Fecapotelette," immediately after these will be revealed a number of graceful Gainsborough figures, followed by others of the English school of the period, Reynolds, Hoppner, etc. These will be prepared and grouped by Mrs. Hone and Mrs. Phillips, while Mrs. Charles Wilson will have charge of the Gainsboroughs.

The Nineteenth Century art will be represented by Frank Dicksee's "Redemption of Tannhauser," Rosetti's beautiful "Dante's Dream," and Watts' celebrated "Hope." Fittingly enough, as it is at least an excellent historical landmark for British critics, the entertainment will be concluded with Wintorhalter's picture of Queen Victoria receiving from the Archbishop of Canterbury and Lord Conyngham, the news of her accession to the throne of England.

A great deal of care is being taken in preparing the frames and backgrounds for these beautiful studies. Mr. Hampton has undertaken the former, and Miss Wyde, Mrs. Mary Ritter Hamilton, and Colonel Hobday are preparing the latter, while other departments are in charge of Colonel Hobday (stage manager), Dr. Hasell, president of the Island Arts and Crafts club, J. J. Shallock, Miss Kemp, Miss Mills and others.

Mrs. Fred Pemberton is convenor, and meetings of the committee are being



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SCRAF BOOK

Epworth League Celebrates Its Silver Jubilee To-day.

More than a million young people in many parts of the world, but principally in the United States and Canada, will celebrate this week the silver jubilee of the Epworth League, which was founded at a meeting held in Cleveland, O., just a quarter of a century ago to-day, May 15, 1889. The league—which is not, as some ignorant persons may assume, a baseball circuit—was launched at a conference of delegates from four general young people's societies of the Methodist Episcopal church, including the Young People's Methodist alliance, the Oxford league, the Young People's Christian league and the Young People's Methodist union. The result of the combination of forces was a great religious "trust" which, starting with 1,500 local societies and a membership of 80,000, now enlists the interest and enthusiasm of millions of young people of both sexes.

The merger of the four Methodist societies was called Epworth league after the town of Epworth, in Lincolnshire, England, distinguished as the birthplace of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism. The league adopted as its motto "Look up, lift up," and declared as its purpose to "promote intelligent and loyal piety in the young members and friends of the church; to aid them in the attainment of purity of heart and constant growth in grace, and to train them in works of mercy and help." The pledge required of members is "I will earnestly seek for myself, and do what I can to help others to attain, the highest New Testament standard of experience and life. I will abstain from all forms of worldly amusement forbidden by the discipline of the Methodist Episcopal church, and I will attend, as far as possible, the religious meetings of the chapter and the church, and take some active part in them." The adoption of the pledge by local societies is made altogether voluntary.

The league in the Methodist Episcopal church south was provided for by the general conference of 1890, and at the general conference of northern Methodists held in Omaha in 1892 the Epworth league was officially endorsed and adopted as a child of the church. Within ten years of its organization a million young people were affiliated with the league, and its growth since then has been very rapid. Early in its existence the league spread to Canada, and since then chapters have been instituted in Mexico, India, several South American countries, Italy, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Finland, China, Hawaii and Japan.

The league maintains a central office in Chicago, and publishes an official organ which has a wide circulation. The southern church also has an Epworth league journal. The first international conference of the Epworth league, at which the northern, southern and Canadian societies were represented, was held in Chattanooga, Tenn., in 1895.

While exclusively a young people's organization, the Epworth league has exercised a profound influence on the Methodist church. Hundreds of thousands of adult Methodists of to-day were attracted to the church by the Epworth league. The good feeling and co-operation between the northern and southern branches of the Methodists of the United States, who were separated by the civil war and the slavery issue, has been developed and encouraged by the Epworth league, whose youthful members are free from the bitter prejudices and hatreds engendered by the civil strife of half a century ago.

GREENROOM NOTES

"THE HONEYMOON EXPRESS."

Theatregoers of this city are well aware that the New York winter garden is a playhouse devoted to novel, and international spectacles and musical entertainments of a kind quite different from those generally seen. The productions which issue from that playhouse can always be depended upon to be something out of the ordinary.

"The Honeymoon Express" which comes to the Royal Victoria theatre on Monday, May 18, is said to surpass every previous effort in the way of production, costuming and spectacular magnificence, as many minds

where concentrated upon this, the most successful and best of all the winter garden productions.

The same great and original company seen during the long season of "The Honeymoon Express" at the winter garden, comes here intact, with Al. Jolson at the head of the organization, which includes Ada Lewis, Mlle. Marie Robson, Anna Wheaton, Sybil Sunday, Marie Fenton, Doyle & Dixon, Jack Storey, Donald McDonald, Arthur Monday and all the others, with a large chorus of sixty beautiful young women.

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The complete and vivid animated record secured by Herbert G. Ponting, F. R. G. S., official cinematograph expert of Captain Scott's expedition, will be shown at the Royal Victoria theatre this evening and to-morrow afternoon and evening.

To enter parliament a man must become the tool of a party, and when he has entered it he must remain its tool, while every party shrinks as far as possible from putting before the electors necessary but unpleasant truths, and prefers rather to make promises than to ask for sacrifices.—Mr. T. E. Page.

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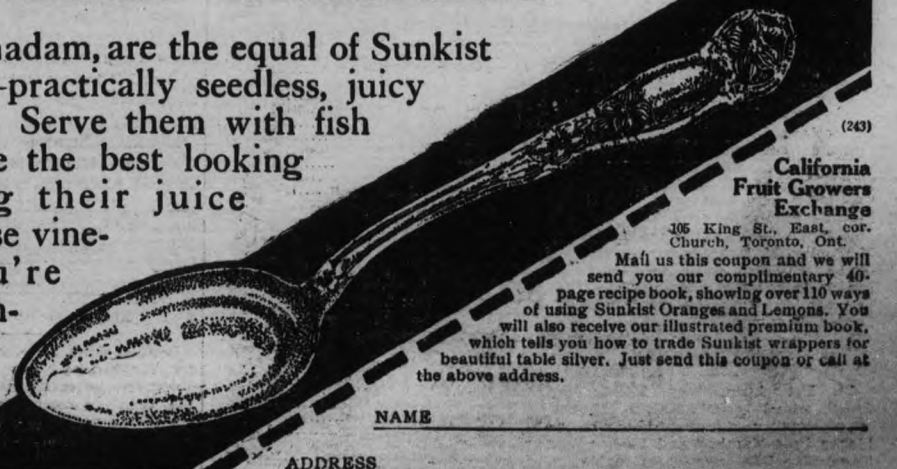
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SPORTS

LEAGUE WILL FIGHT WATKINS CASE

LOCAL SITUATION STILL UNSETTLED

Felder Jones Concludes Visit to Victoria; Portland Shut Out Bees With Narveson Allowing but Five Hits: Score 2 to 0

According to Felder Jones, the Northwestern league will fight the judgment issued at Tacoma against the league in favor of Ed. A. Watkins, former owner of the Tacoma Baseball club. This judgment was for \$1,500, and according to Jones the case was allowed to go by default simply because the league was not aware of the case being brought up. Bob Brown was the only director notified, he stated, and he neglected to notify the league president.

Mr. Jones left yesterday afternoon for Portland. He stated that the situation with regard to the Victoria Baseball club was unchanged. There has been talk of a syndicate forming to take over the club and this may be brought about. President Jones has wired Messrs. Wattlett and McConnell for their side of the case. Should matters come to a head the league will take over the franchise, and look after the team, it was stated.

"I cannot see why baseball should not pay in Victoria," was Jones' comment. "You have a splendid sporting city here and with proper management the club should prove a big money-maker. The team is going nicely now and with one or two changes will be a first division club."

There was talk of moving the club to Oak Bay, but nothing has been done in this regard, though President Jones was driven out to the grounds yesterday morning to look them over.

Portland—Hausman's pinch hit in the eighth inning, which was good for two runs, broke up one of the hottest pitchers' duels of the year and gave the locals a 2 to 0 victory. Narveson was as steady as an eight-day clock until he walked Coltrin in the eighth. Murray singled through short and Eastley took a chance on bunting on his third strike and the ball went to fair ground. McKune fouled to Lamb

and Hausman delivered the hit that counted.

Vancouver—Three infield hits and Shea's miff of Wagner's throw gave Vancouver the winning run in the ninth inning yesterday. Vancouver was three runs in front when Powell tripled with the bases full in the eighth, Spokane tying the score. The final score was 4 to 3.

Score— R. H. E.
Vancouver 4 11 2
Spokane 5 5 2
Batteries: Doty and Grindell; Smith, Speak and Shea.

Seattle—Seattle's loose fielding materially helped Tacoma to win the game yesterday. Both Schneider and Kaufman pitched good ball but the Seattle pitcher received poor support.

Score— R. H. E.
Seattle 1 11 3
Tacoma 3 8 0
Batteries: Schneider and Cadman; Kaufman and Harris.

Victoria did not take Catcher Joe Wally, so Manager Raymond has made arrangements for him to play with Fred Weed's club in the Western Canadian league. Wally has no peer in the Northwestern league as a receiver. He is a good hitter and has a \$10,000 arm.

New York, May 15.—The sale of Leslie C. Nunamaker, for three years catcher of the Boston Americans, to the New York Highlanders, was announced yesterday.

McGinnity released Helmecke last night, signing the document as he rode on the street car after the game. The young man lacks control and Joe will let him get his experience with some other club.

The Vancouver club hardly drew down expense money in Portland last week, and Bob Brown says that the Rose City will not be in the league next season if he has anything to say about it.

Philadelphia, May 15.—John Coombs, pitcher for the Philadelphia American league baseball team, who was injured in the world's series of 1911, may be able to take his turn in the box in six or eight weeks.

BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Portland—Portland 2, Victoria 0.	
At Seattle—Tacoma 3, Seattle 1.	
At Vancouver—Vancouver 4, Spokane 1.	
Standing.	Won. Lost. Pct.
Vancouver 29	9 .690
Seattle 19	12 .613
Spokane 18	13 .581
Tacoma 15	16 .484
Portland 10	20 .333
Victoria 9	21 .300

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Boston—Boston 1, St. Louis 0.	
At Washington—Chicago 0, Washington 1.	
At New York—Detroit 3, New York 1.	
At Philadelphia—Cleveland 0, Philadelphia 1. (13 innings.)	
Standing.	Won. Lost. Pct.
Detroit 18	8 .692
Philadelphia 11	8 .579
New York 10	10 .500
Washington 11	9 .550
St. Louis 11	12 .476
Chicago 11	15 .423
Boston 9	16 .357
Cleveland 8	16 .333

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Chicago—Chicago 5, Brooklyn 0.	
At Pittsburgh—New York 4, Pittsburgh 3.	
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 6, Boston 0.	
At St. Louis—Philadelphia 5, St. Louis 3.	
Standing.	Won. Lost. Pct.
Pittsburgh 15	5 .750
New York 10	6 .625
Brooklyn 9	8 .525
Philadelphia 10	7 .588
Cincinnati 12	11 .522
St. Louis 10	15 .405
Chicago 10	13 .435
Boston 3	4 .417

FEDERAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 6, Kansas City 2.	
At Baltimore—Baltimore 5, Indianapolis 6.	
At Buffalo—Buffalo 5, Chicago 4.	
At Brooklyn—St. Louis 1, Brooklyn 4.	
Standing.	Won. Lost. Pct.
Baltimore 11	5 .688
St. Louis 12	9 .571
Indianapolis 11	9 .550
Chicago 11	10 .524
Brooklyn 7	7 .500
Buffalo 9	9 .500
Kansas City 8	13 .381
Pittsburgh 8	14 .364

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

At Los Angeles—Portland 1, Venice 2.	
At Sacramento—Los Angeles 8, Sacramento 1.	
At San Francisco—Oakland 2, San Francisco 3.	

ESQUIMALT GUN CLUB OPENS SUNDAY

Secretary Beales, of the Esquimalt gun club, announces that the opening shoot will be held on Sunday next at Wilkinson's ranch, on Admiral's road. The shoot will commence at 9.30 a.m. and an automatic trap has been installed for the use of the members. R. H. Pooley, M. P. P., is honorary president of the club, and a successful season is looked for. Applications for membership may be sent to A. B. Beales, Beaumont.

CHESS TOURNEY.

St. Petersburg, May 15.—In the fourth round of the Chess Masters' supplementary tourney here Capablanca beat Marshall and Lasker beat Tarrasch. The scores: Capablanca, 10½; Lasker 9; Alekhine 8; Marshall 7; Tarrasch 6½.

SEMI-PRO. CLASH

AT LOCAL GROUNDS

St. Francis Team to Meet Shaner & Wolff Club; Amateur Ball Gossip

A real battle between a pair of the fastest semi-pro. clubs in the northwest is booked for to-morrow, when the St. Francis club will meet the Shaner and Wolff team of Seattle. Manager George Sedney announced this morning that Slator would twirl for the Saints, while it is likely that Rose will be on the mound for the Seattle aggregation. The Shaner and Wolff team gave the Bees a couple of real games earlier in the season, and it will be a big feather in the cap of the Saints if they can emerge victorious. The game is booked for 3 o'clock. The Saints will have Corbett, the former Sequim backstop, wearing the wind-pad for to-morrow's clash.

Sunday morning the Beacon Hill nine will oppose the fast Canadian Swift team at the Beach diamond, the game commencing at 10 o'clock. The latter team, organized too late to enter the Commercial league, is an exceptionally fast aggregation. Beacon Hill is making its initial appearance in a real match. The players compose one of the fastest junior teams in the city and a good game is anticipated.

The Bapco team defeated the Thistles at the park last evening by a score of 4 to 2. At the North Ward park a team representing the P. Burns company defeated a Swift Canadian company team by 19 runs to 11.

The Eagle Red Sox play Shortt, Hill & Duncan's this evening at Beacon Hill park. The game starts at 6.15.

REVISED INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Date.	Teams.	Grounds.
May 18—Sox v. Wards.....	W. P.	
May 19—Esquimalt v. Wards.....	M. Pt.	
May 20—V.I.A. v. Capitals.....	W. P.	
May 21—Wards v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
May 22—Wards v. Cardinals.....	O. Bay	
May 23—Capitals v. Sox.....	R. A. P.	
May 24—V.I.A. v. Esquimalt.....	M. Pt.	
May 25—Cardinals v. Wards.....	W. P.	
May 26—Wards v. Capitals.....	W. P.	
May 27—Sox v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
May 28—Capitals v. Cardinals.....	O. Bay	
May 29—Esquimalt v. Wards.....	W. P.	
June 1—Cardinals v. Esquimalt.....	M. Pt.	
June 2—Wards v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
June 3—Wards v. Cardinals.....	O. Bay	
June 4—Sox v. Capitals.....	W. P.	
June 5—Cardinals v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
June 6—Capitals v. Wards.....	M. Pt.	
June 7—V.I.A. v. Sox.....	R. A. P.	
June 8—Cardinals v. Capitals.....	W. P.	
June 9—Esquimalt v. Cardinals.....	W. P.	
June 10—Sox v. Wards.....	M. Pt.	
June 11—V.I.A. v. Wards.....	W. P.	
June 12—Capitals v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
June 13—Wards v. Esquimalt.....	M. Pt.	
June 14—Wards v. Cardinals.....	O. Bay	
June 15—Esquimalt v. V.I.A.....	B. H.	
June 16—Capitals v. Wards.....	M. Pt.	
June 17—Wards v. Sox.....	R. A. P.	
June 18—Esquimalt v. Sox.....	R. A. P.	

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Victoria	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Lamb, 2b.....	4 0 1 1 0 0 0
Crum, rf.....	3 0 1 0 1 0 0
Zimmerman, cf.....	3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Willett, lf.....	3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Delmas, ss.....	3 0 0 3 6 0 0
Brooks, lb.....	3 0 0 0 4 2 0
Scanlon, 2b.....	2 0 0 0 3 1 0
Carney, c.....	2 0 0 0 3 1 0
Narveson, p.....	2 0 1 0 4 0 0
Murray, c.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Netzel.....	1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals.....	28 0 4 24 16 0 0

Batted for Narveson in ninth.

Portland	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
McKune, 2b.....	3 0 1 1 2 0 0
Hausman, lf.....	2 0 1 1 0 0 0
Callahan, rf.....	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Melchior, cf.....	2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Guigui, 2b.....	2 0 1 1 2 0 0
Williams, lb.....	2 0 0 0 5 0 0
Coltrin, ss.....	1 1 2 5 2 0 0
Murray, c.....	1 0 0 1 1 0 0
Eastley, p.....	2 0 0 1 1 0 0
Totals.....	23 2 6 27 13 0 0

Score by innings:
Victoria.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Portland.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2 x 2
Summary: Struck out—By Eastley, 4; Narveson, 2. Bases on balls—Off Eastley, 1; Narveson, 5. Double play—Coltrin to McKune to Williams. Sacrifice hit—Eastley. Stolen base—Hausman. Hit by pitched ball—Crum. Time of game—1:16. Umpire—Shuster.

WILL TOUR EAST.

San Francisco, May 15.—California tennis experts are beginning to lay plans for this year's invasion of the east and it is now certain that another formidable team will be sent across the Rocky mountains.

National Champion Maurice E. McLoughlin, while he has not definitely outlined his course, will leave for the east toward the middle of June. It is his present determination to do little tournament work in advance of the match and the Newport championships.

ENTRIES REJECTED.

London, May 15.—No American entry for Henley has been accepted. Moreover, no entry is possible unless the crew represents an actual university or unless a new arrangement is made between the Amateur Rowing association and some other association here and some other association on the other side.

SEMI-PRO. CLASH



BILL ROSE

Star twirler of the Shaner & Wolff team, which will meet the St. Francis club to-morrow afternoon at the Royal Athletic park.

BAPCOS BEAT BISSELS.

Bapco's and Bissel's Commercial league nines fought for five innings last evening, the former returning victorious by the score of 4 to 2. Kerr pitched airtight ball for the paint men, and deserved a shut-out. Allen in the box for the Bissels was also in rare form. Townsley caught for the Bapcos, while Gilbert was behind the bat for Bissels.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Yesterday afternoon the junior Bees had a strenuous workout.
Corbett, the catcher, secured by St. Francis from Sequim, is a sensation.
Johnson, an outfielder with the St. Francis, is showing splendid form.

Jock Robertson is catching fine ball for the White Sox.
Norman Crougan is confident his Capitals will repeat this year.

Johnny Cummins, of the White Sox, is a real star.
The Messengers have a strong team in the junior league.

Jimmy Stewart will catch for the Messengers this season.
Bobby Livingstone is playing a good game behind the bat for the junior Bees.

Moore will play first base for the Junior Bees.
Beacon Hill has an exceptionally strong team in the junior league.

Tommy Watson is trying out for first base with the Senators.
Jimmy Stewart will catch for the Messengers this season.

North Ward should make a strong bid for the intermediate championship.
Butch Belford was released by Portland after one tryout.

Pat O'Rourke says his Allied Printers need more practice.
The Beach Diamond will be the Beacon Hill team's home grounds.

Billy Kerr has signed to catch for the junior White Sox.
League Meeting.

A meeting of the Victoria Amateur Baseball association will be held to-night at 8.30. All clubs are requested to have representatives on hand.

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BOUT POSTPONED.

New York, May 15.—The ten-round bout between Gunboat Smith and Battling Levinsky, which was scheduled to be held at the Stadium A. C. on May 28, has been postponed until June 4 at the suggestion of the fighters' managers, who asked for more time for their men to get into condition for the scrap.



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SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

INTERNATIONAL GOLF MATCH FOR SATURDAY

Draw Announced for British Championships; Play for St. George's Cup

Tacoma, May 15.—Under the personal direction of Professional Willie Leith, the members of the women's team of the Tacoma Country & Golf club are working hard to prepare themselves for the international women's tournament which will be held on the local course Saturday. The members of the team yesterday spent the greater part of the day in practicing, and there was team practice in the afternoon under the direction of Professional Leith.

In the team practice the women took every club in the bag and made the various shots which come up in competition. Corrections were made in grip and swing, and there was plenty of practice afterwards in order to benefit by the advice of the professional.

Sandwich, Eng., May 15.—In the draw for the British amateur golf championship to be played here next week, America's players were given

comparatively easy contests in the earlier matches.

Francis Ouimet, open golf champion of the United States, drew against C. C. Macgregor, of Manila. Jerome D. Travers, amateur champion of the United States, will play against Charles Palmer, of Handsworth, Charles W. (Chick) Evans, Jr., of Chicago, is pitted against W. Cranston, of Walton Heath; Frederick Herreshoff, of New York, against H. St. John, of Northumberland; Harold Weber, of Toledo, against J. Remer, of Birkdale; Fraser Hale, of Chicago, against W. Whigham, of Royal St. George; Edward S. Knapp, of West Brook, against A. Chadwick, of Gainsberry.

Sandwich, Eng., May 15.—John Graham, Jr., a Scottish member of the Royal Liverpool Golf club, to-day won the St. George's champion grand challenge cup with an aggregate score of 148 strokes.

Two English golfers led in the morning. They were Robert Harris, of Harwood Downs, and F. Martin Smith, of the Royal St. George's club, whose total for the two rounds was 153 strokes.

D. Ransom, of Crowborough, Eng., who was the leader of yesterday's play with a score of 72 strokes for the first round, made the second in 82 strokes, thus bringing his aggregate up to 154. Among the American competitors, Fraser Hale, of Chicago, did the second round in 84 strokes, which made his total 166. Harold Weber, of Toledo, Ohio, also took 84 for to-day's round, making his aggregate 167. C. W. Inslee, of the Oneda Community club, N. Y., did to-day's round in 81 for a total of 169.

SHIELD LIKELY TO COME TO THIS CITY

Final for British Columbia Soccer Title Will Be Played To-morrow at Oak Bay

North Wards are picked to beat the Coquitlam eleven to-morrow afternoon for the McBride shield. The latter team did well to hold the fast Victoria eleven to one score last Saturday at home, only the brilliant work of the two backs, and the goal-keeping saving the mainlanders from a decisive beating. During the entire game the fast Ward forwards were pressing the Coquitlam defence, while very seldom was the Victoria defence hard pressed.

Several changes have been made in the mainlanders' line-up, and they are confident of doubling the score on the local challengers. Should the Wards lose to-morrow's game by two goals, the shield will remain in Coquitlam, but should Victoria secure a draw or win, the trophy will come to this city. North Wards will be forced to journey to Vancouver again should the mainlanders win by one goal as the teams will be tied.

The North Wards are a very evenly balanced team. Taylor and Newlands, the backs, are fast as well as strong kickers; Tunnicliffe, Brown and McGregor, on the halfback division are exceptionally strong kickers, and feed the forwards well, while McCarter, Muir, Pickering, Whittaker and Nichol compose the fastest forward line on the coast as well as being good shots.

Mayor Stewart will present the shield to the Wards should they return winners. Saturday night a banquet will be given in the Ritz hotel to the Coquitlam team, the league having granted \$25 towards entertaining the visitors. Goward is the choice to handle the game, he being easily the best referee in the city.

The teams will line up as follows: Coquitlam: Worrall; Marshall and Sinclair; Millard, Thorpe and McLellan; Eiben, Harrop, Black, Johnson and McKenzie; spare, R. Thompson.

Wards: Baines; Taylor and Newlands; McGregor, Tunnicliffe and Brown; Whittaker, Muir, Pickering, Nichols and McCarter.

CHARGE OF POLO TEAM.

London, May 15.—Captain Edward Darley Miller, formerly of the Seventeenth Lancers, was appointed to-day manager of the international polo tournament to be played during the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco in 1915.

Captain Miller is the captain of the Rugby polo club and the author of "Modern Polo." He was decorated with the Distinguished Service order during the Boer war.

MISS RAVENSCROFT BEATEN.

Hunstanton, Eng., May 15.—Miss Cecile Leitch won the British women's golf championship to-day, defeating Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, women champion of the United States, by two up and one to play.

At the eighteenth hole, Miss Ravenscroft and Miss Leitch were all square.

TO STICK BY RUGBY.

Stanford University, Cal., May 15.—That Stanford will not abandon rugby football and, if the University of California returns to the American game, there will be no more inter-collegiate football matches between the two universities, was the gist of statements made by athletic authorities here.

FRARY BELIEVED TO HAVE JUMPED TO FEDS

Seattle, May 15.—Ralph Frary, recognized as the best umpire in the Northwestern league, has disappeared, and it is rumored that he has accepted a three years' contract with the Federal league.

Frary, who was scheduled to umpire the Seattle-Tacoma series this week, did not report yesterday. His absence created some excitement, but nothing could be learned of his whereabouts by President Dugdale. "Kidde" Wilson was substituted for yesterday's game. Late last night it was learned from an apparently reliable source of the Federal league office. It was said that Frary had signed a three-year contract and had already received \$1,500 in cash, and, furthermore, that he would leave last night on a late train for the east. An effort was made to find the missing umpire at his place of business, at Second and Cherry streets, but his partner professed to know nothing of Frary's absence. He had not been seen all day, it was said, and the report of his leaving for the east might have been true.

DUNCAN LEAGUE.

Duncan, May 15.—Steps are being taken to organize a city baseball league composed of four teams. Three teams are already in line. Providing the league is organized the assurance has been given by a prominent citizen that a cup will be put up for competition.

POLO PONIES SHIPPED.

London, May 15.—A string of thirty-six ponies to be used by the British team in the matches for the international polo trophy at Meadowbrook were taken on board the liner Minneapolis to-day. They are valued at \$60,000.

AMATEURS JUMP.

Billy Soules, Len Holliday and Harry Anderson, three of the clever young amateur boxers of the Commercial club, Vancouver, will jump into the professional ranks this month. The trio left along with Chet McIntyre, for Fort George, where they will engage in a number of matches.

PROGRESS REPORTED.

Church of Our Lord Holds Adjourned Annual Meeting; Rector Severing Connection With Parish.

Excellent progress in the various branches of work was indicated by the several reports presented last evening at the adjourned annual meeting of the congregation of the Church of Our Lord. The financial statement showed a small balance in hand, the statement being made that "the burden of the city taxes was becoming almost intolerable."

The rector, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, stated that he had not expected to be with his people on this occasion, but that strong efforts were being made to obtain a new minister, and that in any case his resignation would be operative not later than November 1.

Reference was made to the work in Happy Valley and the approaching opening of the new meeting hall, of which W. W. Winter, lay-reader, is the minister in charge.

The fund for the renovation of the church has been almost entirely raised, it was stated, though the work on the outside will be postponed until the summer is over. The trustees and advisory committee were re-elected, as was also the people's warden, R. S. Day. E. A. Jacob, the rector's warden, wished to retire after fourteen years' services and T. H. Laundry, who is now in England, was appointed to that position subject to his consent being obtained. Votes of thanks were passed to all the officials for their work during the

past year. A vote of condolence with Senator Macdonald and the members of his family on the death of Mrs. Macdonald, was also passed, being taken standing.

WILL BRING FLOWERS.

H. L. Salmon Will Make Visit to England of Value by Adding to Attractions Here.

Prior to leaving for England, H. L. Salmon addressed the following letter:

J. R. Anderson, Esq.,
Hon. Sec. Natural History Society.
Dear Sir—I am leaving at end of week for England, and it occurred to me that I might be of some use in the following particular: There are many varieties of wild flowers indigenous to the British Isles which are not to be found in Vancouver island, but which if sown or planted would in all probability thrive well here. My idea is to procure such roots, bulbs or seeds, as may prove acceptable for distribution in suitable localities. I would gladly take part on my return, probably in autumn, in the distribution, etc. I cannot call to mind the many varieties we might add to our already big collection, but should think the wild primrose, cowslip and others would thrive well. We may be able to enlist the help of the authorities "at home" in this matter including the Royal Botanical Garden people at Kew. Anyhow, I shall be very happy to assist if you consider my offer of any value. My address in London will be at present, H. L. Salmon, care E. J. Salmon, Walverton, Canterbury road, Leyton, London, England, and any instructions may be sent there.

H. L. SALMON.

If any one wishing to make suggestions in conformity with Mr. Salmon's offer will communicate with Mr. Anderson, 410 Jones building, he will be pleased to give the matter his attention.

LIFT THE LID SAYS BENNETT ON THE C. N. R.

(Continued from Page 1.)

ing the construction of the line from Yellowhead to the Pacific coast. The late government, he said, was quite justified in giving aid to link up the system in the prairie provinces with the industrial centres of the east, but the British Columbia enterprise should not have been undertaken until the system between Quebec and the Rockies was in better position. He claimed that the government had not received any real security for the guarantee given to the C. N. R.

E. Bristol, of Toronto, moved the adjournment of the debate.

Ottawa, May 15.—The first Saturday sitting of the session will be held to-morrow. The motion calling for it carried. Sir Wilfrid Laurier first objected on the ground that all the government programme had not yet been brought down and that many of the members, including himself, had made engagements for to-morrow. He asked that the first Saturday sitting be postponed for a week. The premier said that as far as he was aware the whole of the legislative programme was now before the house except the supplementary estimates. He was prepared to arrange that only non-contentious subjects should be taken up to-morrow. It was getting late and every one wanted to wind up the session as soon as possible.

Sir Wilfrid accepted this explanation and with the understanding that only non-contentious bills should be taken up, the motion passed. The debate on the C. N. R. proposals was continued by E. Bristol (Centre Toronto) who approved the resolutions before the house.

TEN MEN KILLED IN DETROIT EXPLOSION

Detroit, Mich., May 15.—Ten men were killed and three injured in an explosion to-day which blew the plant of the Mexican Crude Rubber company to pieces. There were about twenty-five employees in the plant. Eleven survivors have been accounted for. Gasoline is believed to have caused the explosion. Most of the victims were skilled mechanics.

One body was blown through the

building. Three other bodies were burned beyond recognition. Three men were removed to a hospital and physicians said they did not expect any of the men would survive. Dozens of windows in buildings near the plant were shattered.

The plant, a one-storey concrete building in West Detroit, was almost obliterated. Flying chunks of substance riddled adjoining buildings and heavy concrete blocks were found more than two blocks from the scene of the explosion. The factory of the Commerce Motor Car company, about 100 feet from the rubber concern, was badly damaged.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

H. J. Baker, of Savona, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. H. Upton, Vancouver, is staying at the James Bay hotel.

M. L. Adamson, of Alberni, is registered at the Empress hotel.

H. R. Corbett, Vancouver, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

H. Newmarch, of Vancouver, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

A. Brennan registered at the Dominion hotel from Seattle.

John McQuarrie, of Seattle, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

F. G. Powell is registered at the Empress hotel from Toronto for a short stay.

Harold G. and Mrs. King, of Vancouver, are registered at the James Bay hotel.

J. T. Holman, of Duncan, is in town for a few days a guest at the James Bay hotel.

B. Plevin arrived this morning at the Empress hotel from Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng.

G. F. Comstock and Mrs. Comstock, of San Francisco, are guests at the Dominion hotel.

Charles H. Harbort, the well-known Sooke Harbor hotel proprietor was in the city to-day.

H. Clemes arrived in the city yesterday from Edmonton and registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Miss Halstone, of Peterboro, Ont., are guests at the James Bay hotel.

H. L. Barber, of Portland, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday for himself and Mrs. Barber.

J. W. Bonbright is a recent arrival in the city from Philadelphia. He is stopping at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Saul and son, of London, Eng., are new arrivals in town, and are guests at the James Bay hotel.

Mrs. W. H. Cottingham and Miss Cottingham, of Red Deer, Alta., are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

F. W. Peters, the well-known C. P. R. official of Vancouver, arrived here yesterday, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Drinning Smith, of the well-known New York family, came to Victoria last evening and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Among the Vancouver people staying at the Dominion hotel are Gordon Ross, R. J. Thomson, W. C. Gladwin and R. D. Blair.

The following people arrived in Victoria this morning, and are staying at the Empress hotel: R. W. Middleton, W. H. Armstrong, J. H. Barry, Edwin Ross.

Among the Vancouver residents arriving at the Empress hotel yesterday were: J. Bell, J. Hutchison, Mrs. R. E. Walker, Mrs. C. E. Runner, F. P. Dickinson.

Dr. F. F. Westbrook, president of the University of British Columbia came to the city again this morning to have a conference to-day with Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education.

At "Breadtham" last evening, Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Harry Welch Stubbsfield, and Lolla May Spahn, both of Seattle. After spending the honeymoon in Victoria, they will reside in Seattle.

Miss Juniper's domestic science pupils were the hostesses at an "at home" held on Tuesday afternoon at the Victoria West school, the guests of honor being the members of the Royal Oak Women's Institute, including the honorary president, Mrs. Patterson, while others present were Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Justin Gilbert. Mrs. Currie, on behalf of the institute, expressed surprise and pleasure at the work of the little pupils, and Mrs. Jenkins spoke to the girls on the important part played by good housekeeping in the building of the empire.

Major MacFarlane is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Mill Bay.

A. N. Parry is registered at the Ritz hotel while here from Duncan.

M. Calthrop is here from Salt Spring Island and is staying at the Ritz hotel.

A. Fitzgerald is here from London, Eng., and is registered at the Ritz hotel.

H. Idiens is visiting the city from Courtenay and is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

T. E. Pooley left yesterday by the North Coast Limited for a trip to Philadelphia.

H. Reave left yesterday by the North Coast Limited and the White Star liner Arabic for a trip to England.

T. B. Gilmour, of the Bank of British North America staff, left yesterday by the North Coast Limited for Montreal, where he will be located.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kidney left yesterday by the North Coast Limited and the steamship Arabic for England, where they will reside in future.

Rev. Forbes J. Rutherford and family, of Ladysmith, accompanied by Miss Ross, left yesterday by the North Coast Limited for London, Ont., where Mr. Rutherford will be located for some time. Miss Ross will proceed to Cincinnati to further pursue her violin studies.

The smoker held by the local lodge of Elks in their clubrooms, Campbell buildings, last evening, was an unqualified success. Two hundred "horns" and their friends assembled to spend an evening in true Elk style, and fully lived up to their reputation. Herr M. Nagel presided at the piano, discussing sweet music throughout. J. P. Larkins pleased the audience with several vocal solos. Fred Lins and Kev. Kosterbauer, of the Kaiserhof, had charge of the refreshments, assisted by I. Herman, and they succeeded in their endeavor to transplant Fuerst Nuernberg, Germany, to Victoria, for the occasion. N. B. Maysmith with his sleight-of-hand and mind reading held the audience in close attention. The debate, the subject of which was, "Should Women Be Allowed the Franchise?" was ably presented by Fred Lins and G. B. Thompson for the affirmative, and T. H. Brown and G. I. Warren for the negative. Hon. Dr. Young, Dr. Higgins and J. Kingham were the judges. The negative side won. Speeches were delivered during the evening by Hon. Dr. Young, J. Kingham and L. W. Black. Alec Peden presided.

Did Good Work

Children's Aid Society Has Annual Meeting—Ended Year With Balance.

That there had been a decided improvement, both morally and intellectually, in the children admitted to the Children's Aid home during the year was pointed out in the address of the president, Charles Hayward, who occupied the chair at the annual meeting of the Children's Aid society.

Mrs. Gordon Grant gave an interesting report of the cases which had come before the juvenile court during the year, and expressed, on behalf of the committee, appreciation for the help given by Magistrate Jay and the police department. Mrs. Spofford, the superintendent and matron, reported 23 children in the home, 39 having been admitted during the year, which had started with 22 children at the home.

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An account was given of those who had been sent to their own homes or elsewhere. Mr. Silver, the treasurer, reported receipts amounting to \$6,561.66, with expenditure of \$6,284.27, leaving a balance of \$277.39.

Officers for the ensuing year are: President, Charles Hayward, J. P.; vice-president, Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay; secretary, Mrs. Gordon Grant; treasurer, Mr. Silver; board of management, Messrs. Burns, Fletcher, McPhillips, Day, Herd; Revs. H. Carson and Father Laterne, Aldermen McNeill and Porter, Messrs. Gleason, Field and McCallum.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

As the result of an agitation carried for some time by F. Napier Denison, weather bulletins from a number of new places have been added to the daily bulletin issued here, which hitherto carried only the news from other western points. Now all the chief Canadian centres are reported and the advantage is obvious. The new places are Calgary, Prince Albert, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, St. John and Halifax.

Victoria, May 15—5 a.m.—The barometer remains low over the interior, and rain has again fallen in Cariboo and Kootenay, also in Eastern Washington and on the California coast. The weather is becoming mild with showers in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts for 24 hours ending 5 p.m., Saturday:
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, mostly westerly and southerly; generally fair and warm during the day. Lower mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Reports:
Victoria—Barometer, 30.00; temperature 62; minimum 48; wind, N. E., 4 miles; clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; temperature 64; minimum 48; wind, N. W., 10 miles; part cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; temperature 62; minimum 48; wind, N. W., 4 miles; rain, 26; part cloudy.

Barkerville—Temperature, 50.
Tutocosh—Barometer, 29.90; temperature 54; minimum 48; wind, S. 10 miles; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.00; temperature 58; minimum 50; wind, N., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.02; temperature 64; minimum 48; wind, N. E., 4 miles; rain, 08; clear.

Prince Rupert—Temperature, 59.
Calgary—Barometer, 29.85; temperature 78; minimum 42; wind, N. W., 4 miles; clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.72; temperature 68; minimum 40; wind, S. W., 4 miles; part cloudy.

Prince Albert—Barometer, 29.56; temperature 50; minimum 40; wind, calm; clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.36; temperature 52; minimum 34; wind, S. 8 miles; clear.

Toronto—Temperature, 67.
Ottawa—Temperature, 62.
Montreal—Temperature, 62.
St. John—Temperature, 44.
Halifax—Temperature, 48.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Thursday:

Temperature:
Highest 62
Lowest 48
Average 56

Bright sunshine, 10 hours 12 minutes; general state of weather, fine.

HUMAN PROCESSION

Sir Edwin Ray Lankester, the distinguished English zoologist and evolutionist, was born in London sixty-seven years ago to-day. Like that greatest of evolutionists, Charles Darwin, Sir Ray had a distinguished father and his youth was spent in an atmosphere of scholarship and scientific interests.

The elder Lankester was a celebrated physician, lecturer at medical colleges, editor of the Journal of Social Science, and the author of several medical and sociological works. The centenary of the birth of Dr. Edwin Lankester was observed by English physicians last month.

Darwin's theories as to the origin of species were beginning to win the general acceptance of the scientific world, but they were bitterly opposed by theologians, when Oxford, and the young man early became a doughty defender of Darwinism. The patient research which had marked Darwin's development of his epochal theory was reflected in the first book of his disciple, "A Monograph of the Cephalopod Fishes," which was published when the author was only twenty-three years old.

Sir Ray has spent many years in a thorough study of the brains of man and his "apelike progenitors," and he has found that there is no so-called "missing link" between man and monkey, so far as size of brain is concerned.

"Using cubic centimeters as units," said the scientist, "we find that a good average European brain is of the bulk of 1,500 units. The gorilla has a slightly larger brain than the chimpanzee or the orang. One of good medium bulk measures 500 units, or a third of that of the well developed European."

"The size of European human brains also varies within very large limits, about a third more and a third less; that is, from about 1,000 units to nearly 2,000. The skull of the fossil man from Pleistocene (possibly Pliocene) gravels in Java had a capacity of only 900 units. If we suppose that some species of the gorilla may have a brain a third larger than the average we get 670 units for the biggest gorilla brain, and we similarly assume that the primitive human race of Java gravel varied to the same extent—viz., by a third more or less around 900 as the normal—we find that the greatest size

of the gorilla brain overlaps the smallest of the Javan Pithecanthropus, while the largest of that race would overlap not only the Australian but the smaller sized brains of Europeans."

"Hence, if we accept, as we must, the fact that the brain of man and the man-like apes naturally varies greatly in volume in different individuals, there is no absolute gap in regard to size between the higher races of man and the apes. The difference is bridged over by the lower races of man and the exceptional individuals of apes."

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higher apes have been minutely compared with those of man's brain. The two sets of convolutions agree very closely, but are less extensive in the apes. * * * The convolutions of the brain of lower races of men have not been fully studied, but the brain of a Hottentot woman has been carefully described and illustrated, showing less complexity than is usual in European man, and making a distinct approach in this respect to the apes, but still over by the lower races of man and the exceptional individuals of apes."

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Remarkable Sale of Sports Coats at \$14.50 Values to \$25.00

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Colored Pongee Silks, 50c regular, for 37½c a Yard

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A very desirable heavy make of silk; comes in 34-inch width. Specially made for suits and coats. 34 inches wide Black Messaline, 65c a yard. \$1.25 value.

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Children's Wash Dresses in fancy ginghams, chambrays, Holland, \$1.25 to \$1.75 values for 95c.

Children's Hats in straw, trimmed ribbon and flowers, also Wash Hats in ratine or linen, for \$1.00. \$1.50 to \$3.00 values.

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"Hill-grown" tea has the small, tender leaves—with full, rich, delicious fragrance, redolent of the spicy tropics.

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Tea is grown high up on the mountains of Ceylon—with its native delicacy and fragrance held captive in the sealed lead packages.
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COUNCIL TO APPOINT PUBLICITY EXECUTIVE

Representatives of Bodies to Be Named by City, as Constitution Stands

Another meeting in connection with the reorganization of the city branch of the development league, under the name of the Victoria and Island Development association, was held yesterday afternoon in the board of trade rooms.

As the result of a meeting in the forenoon of a small sub-committee named at the meeting in the city hall on Tuesday, at which there were present Ald. Okell, J. J. Shallercross and F. A. Pauline, a number of amendments to the draft constitution which has been under consideration were suggested and these were read to the gathering. They were rejected in favor of the draft as it stood, however, and the matter will now be dealt with in the city council.

The point which that body will have to discuss and decide is whether or not it will name the representatives on the executive of the association of the Board of Trade, the Real Estate Ex-

change, the Rotary Club and other bodies. Members of the council at the meeting declared that they would fight any such proposal when it came on, and that the appointment of these should be made by the bodies which are to be represented.

It was the suggestion of the sub-committee that the managing committee should consist of a president, a vice-president, an executive council of five appointed by the city council, of whom at least three should be members of the aldermanic board; that two members be appointed by any other municipality which subscribed not less than \$1,000, at least one to be the reeve or a councillor; that five members, including the president and vice-president, be elected by the subscribers, and that five be a quorum.

This was disregarded in favor of the original proposal that the city council appoint all the representatives, two to each body. The objects of the organization were set out as being to promote, advertise and protect the home, inter-provincial and foreign trade and commerce of Victoria and district; to advertise and develop the natural resources; to consider all questions connected with such trade, commerce and manufactures; to promote the building of railways, roads, trails and bridges; to promote or oppose legislation; to collect and circulate statistics, and other like objects.

Added to these the committee had suggested the encouraging and advertising of Victoria and Island as a place for tourists, settlers and conventions, and the collection and circulating of statistics and other information relating to town-planning, but these also suffered the fate of the report as a whole.

On the suggestion of Frank Higgins, who has all along insisted that the question of industries must be kept to the fore in all the work of the future, the meeting heard from H. S. Mould, Seattle, as to the manner of securing new industries.

There was some discussion as to the industrial commissionership, and it was the general idea that the one man should be the head of the association work as commissioner, being assisted, if necessary, by a man in the office to look after the answering of mail inquiries and inquiries over the counter.

An objection taken to the appointment of representatives by the city council was that the bodies concerned were best able to name their own men. There was strong protest by some of the speakers against any municipality or public body being given representation on the executive unless it made a subscription to the funds of the association, on the ground that it would thus have an actual, tangible interest in the conduct of affairs.

The Norwegian member of parliament gets a daily income of 12s, though he loses a day's pay when he takes a day off. Members of the Swiss diet work under the same threat. If they are absent they lose salary which amounts in their case to 16s. per day. Roumania pays her law-makers a sovereign per day, and Bulgaria offers 16s. In the latter country, members living in the capital have 4s. deducted, because they have no train fares to pay, and only one home to keep up.

W. A. REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS FOR YEAR

Collections Good and Missionary Work Generally Given Generous Help

The order of proceedings at the annual diocesan meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary continued yesterday afternoon and evening. During the early part of the afternoon Mrs. Doull, in Mrs. Luxton's absence, read the president's address, which remarked the progress made by the Columbia diocese branch during the year, and commended quiet faithfulness in the individual members as being the great force of such an organization. Reference was made to the success which had been met with by the introduction of the extra-cent-a-day fund, and also attention was called to the importance of getting a large Girls' Guild. Members were reminded that in September there is to be a triennial meeting of the Women's Auxiliary at Vancouver, when it is hoped that as many as possible will attend from the Columbia Diocese Woman's Auxiliary. In speaking of the Auxiliary badges the president expressed the wish that members should wear these constantly rather than to a few special meetings. In conclusion hearty thanks were expressed to the officers and others who had so capably done their part during the year.

A motion that a letter of greeting be sent to Mrs. Luxton, regretting her absence, and particularly expressing the regret of the society at her resignation from the presidency, was passed during the afternoon.

The treasurer, Mrs. Wollaston, reported receipts to the amount of \$3,224.96, including a balance from last year of \$1,218.49. Disbursements were \$1,885.5, and cash on hand amounted to \$1,339.42.

Mrs. Hisecks, Dorcas secretary, reported that \$892 had been collected during the year for Dorcas work, sales of clothing, etc., which had been sent to the Industrial school, Alert Bay; to the West Coast mission; the Girls' home, Alert Bay; St. Peter's mission; and other places.

Chinese Work.

Miss Turner read a highly interesting paper on "Chinese Work in Honolulu," in which she urged the need of religious instruction of the Oriental races, and pointed out what it was possible for the Woman's Auxiliary to do. The report of the recording secretary named nineteen senior branches, with an enrollment of over 400; seven girls' branches, with 160 members; nine junior branches with 220 members, and ten baby branches with 102 members.

Four new life members were admitted, these being Mrs. Nivn, Mrs. Flinton, Mrs. Norrish and Miss Sill, this bringing the total number of life members up to 48.

Two new officers have been added during the year, viz., construction camp literature secretary, ably filled by Mrs. Andrew, and the E. C. D. treasurer, Mrs. Chadwick.

Following the report of the corresponding secretary, who reviewed the letters received during the year, the organizing secretary, Mrs. A. Tolson, to whom much praise was given by the meeting for the splendid work she had done during the year, reported that two new junior branches, two girls' branches, one senior branch and one reorganized branch had been formed during the year. The reorganized branch was at Duncan; the junior branches at St. Hilary's, Lamson Street, and Holy Trinity, Union Bay; the girls' branches at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, and at Cedar district, and the new senior branch at St. Andrew's, Sandwick.

Many Books Sent.

The leaflet secretary, Miss Sill, reported 25 new members, making a total of 375, and the Columbia coast mission secretary, Mrs. Dawe, reported that 47 boxes of books had been sent to the Columbia coast mission, the boys of St. Barnabas' and Christ Church cathedral and Percy Wollaston having assisted in packing and forwarding these.

The report of the junior secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Harvey, showed the total receipts of this department to have been \$683.22. Miss Wood, secretary of the non-Christian foreigners' work, stated that Mr. Proby was unable to go on with the work in connection with the Hindus in Victoria, and word had been received from Mr. Sands, of the C. M. S. in India, that the \$329 sent to bring a Christian Hindu catechist to Victoria would be refunded, as no such person could be found. This year seven Chinese had been baptized. Lim Chung, who holds a class of from 30 to 40 pupils every evening from 7.30 to 9, is still carrying on in this connection the half-hour of religious instruction in the Chinese language. The suggestion made last year that two paid helpers be provided has not been taken up, but the Brotherhood of St. Andrew members still continue to help as much as possible.

Baby offerings for the year were \$70.41, according to the report of Mrs. Murray Thane, baby's branch secretary, who also read a letter from Mrs. White, wife of the bishop of Honan, thanking the Columbia diocese for \$22.45 sent in behalf of the Dora Pope orphanage in Honan.

For Training.

The thank offering secretary, Miss Turner, stated that 319 members had contributed \$345 to go to the training of missionaries. Mrs. Heatherbell, leaflet editor, also reported, and the E. C. D. secretary, Mrs. Chadwick, reported that nine branches had undertaken the extra-cent-a-day fund, which had realized total receipts of \$40.96, with disbursements of \$16.06.

Mrs. Andrew, literature secretary for construction camps, who gave a history of the work, said that St. Saviour's, St. Mary's and Sidney branches, together with Mrs. Carmichael, Miss Des Barres, Alberni and Cowichan, had supplied reading matter to the construction camps on the island.

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Beautifully figured Radium Silk with shadow spots. We have a good variety for you to choose from. 40 ins. wide Navy or Black Foulard with white poker dot, stripes and floral designs.

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Colored Foulard Silks in some pretty floral and stencil designs. Regular values \$2 to \$3.50 a yard. Saturday \$1.65

Week-End Sale of Neckwear

Included are shadow lace fichus, ratine collar and cuff sets, silk crepe collars with jet ornaments, white shadow lace collar and cuff sets, silk epaulettes, collars, lace collar frills and many other novelties. This affords you an opportunity to replenish your stock at a saving. Regular values to 75c. Saturday special 50c

Great Sale of Sample Waists \$1.90

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Large number of manufacturers' samples, comprising every new conceivable style. No two Waists are alike. This lot includes a few silk ones.

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Saturday Specials From the Shoe Department

Ladies' White Buckskin and Canvas Button Boots. Regular \$5 and \$6. Saturday special \$4.00
Ladies' White Buckskin Low Button Shoes, made with kidney heel. Regular \$6, for \$3.75
Misses' Tan Calf Pumps, pointed toe. Sizes 11 to 2. Regular \$2.75. Saturday \$1.95
Children's Lace and Button Shoes. Sizes 2 to 7½. Regular price \$2.00. Saturday, per pair 95c
New Shipment of Mary Jane Slippers.

"Gordon's Special" Corset

This is certainly one of the finest values in Corsets yet offered to the public. They are made of a splendid quality coutil trimmed with silk embroidery, and are modeled to very latest style. You could hardly wish for a more comfortable or smarter model. Special \$1.50

Ladies' Wash Suits and Dresses

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Waists, including Lingerie and Tailored Shirtwaists, in a very good selection. Regular values to \$1.75. Special 75c
Japanese Kimono Cloth, in large variety of designs. Yd. 15c and 20c
Genuine Irish Linen Napkins in new braid and daffodil patterns. Regular \$2.50 per dozen. Special, per dozen \$1.60
Dressing Jackets are one of our biggest specials on our bargain floor. You can choose from many pretty styles and colorings in good wearing materials. Special 75c
Fancy Colored Hosiery, including some fine black Hosiery with silk embroidery and garter top. Regular values to 75c. Per pair 25c
Satin Underskirts in such popular colors as cerise, Paddy brown, navy and black. They are made from a good wearing quality of satin. Price \$1.50
House Dresses, made from serviceable materials, in good styles and colors. Price \$1.25
Fine Quality Bedspreads in many honeycomb designs. Special \$1.00 and \$1.25
Neck Frilling, put up in boxes. Price, box 5c

Ladies' Serge and Tweed Suits, chiefly strictly plain-tailored. Materials are fine quality navy and indigo serges, tweeds and a few striped materials. Coats are satin lined. Regular values to \$25.00. To-day \$7.75
Girls' Misses' and Women's Smart Ready-to-wear Straw Hats, in a variety of shapes and colorings 50c
Lace Curtains, nearly 60 pairs to clear out for, per pair 50c
Swiss Embroideries in a large assortment of pretty designs. Mostly two to three inches wide. At these small prices these wanted goods will soon be snapped up, so be sure and come early in order to get the pieces you desire. Prices, yard, 5c and 10c
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Fancy White Dress Muslins, Dimities and Vestings. You can choose from a large assortment of fancy stripes, spots and checks. Regular 15c and 20c per yard. Sale, per yard 10c
Kimono Cloths in white, with fancy spots and many designs in green, grey, navy, red and cream. Regular 15c per yard. Sale, per yard 8½c

The Retail Merchant Will Find it on Page 8

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An appeal was made for good books, and for stories in Russian and Italian. The literature secretary, Mrs. Dixon, reported that the study class had been held each month, and that the number of books at present in the library was 272. Receipts had been \$72.55, with disbursements of \$68.24.

The afternoon session concluded with an able paper by Mrs. Des Barres on "The Educational Value of Missionary Study," after which tea was served.

Letters for publication in Daily Times, must be received at the Times Office not later than the day before the day of publication. When received later they will be held over until the following day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

AUSTRALIA AND CANADA.

To the Editor.—In your issue of the 2nd ult., under the head line, "Meeting With Success," in your sub-leader you repeat the question referring to the Australian navy.

If Australia can successfully do this, why not Canada? For those who have lived in both countries and have observed the character of both people for a number of years, sir, your query is quite easily answered.

Australia being so far from Europe it necessarily follows it obtained the cream of immigration. Therefore a people of high ideals and probity were established in Australia. When they have an election invariably the candidates are of the best material in the land, consequently the successful men realize that they are truly the repre-

sentatives of the people. For instance, the Hon. W. Trenwith accepted the portfolio of railways in Victoria, which disheartened some of his supporters. He heard it and forthwith called a meeting of his constituents and told them what he had done and why he accepted a portfolio.

Now, gentlemen, said he, my resignation is in your hands; do what you like with it. The people refused to accept it and sent him back to his office. When you get there, stay there, does not do well in Australia. Though the Fisher government was defeated their navy policy goes on just the same by their successors in office.

Why not Canada? The character of the leading politicians of the country answers that question in full, more especially those gentlemen who are running the country at the present time. Those remarks do not include Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his followers at Ottawa.

JAMES REID.

RESEARCH ON ISLAND.

J. M. Macoun, Botanist, is Advance Guard of Dominion Parties Working in B. C. This Season.

J. M. Macoun, the distinguished Dominion botanist and anthropologist, was in the city for a short time yesterday before proceeding up the island, where he is to carry on extensive work this season on Vancouver island and on islands in the Gulf of Georgia. In this he will be assisted by John Macoun. It will be remembered that last year J. M. Macoun made an extensive trip in Strathcona Park and did some very valuable work up there of the kind he is now engaged upon.

The arrival here of the botanist is in a measure the advance guard of several parties which are being sent by the Dominion geological survey this season. R. W. Brock, the director of the survey, who paid several visits to the coast last summer, has evidently become possessed

with the importance of British Columbia from a geologic standpoint, and a large percentage of the work done by his department this year will be carried out in British Columbia. The field work of the department will cover geology under the direction of O. E. Leroy, topography under W. H. Boyd, anthropology and archaeology, as well as botany and zoology.

The investigations of the coal deposits of Graham Island about which so much was heard last summer, will be completely worked up by J. D. Mackenzie, who is also well known here. He will also map out the Flathead coal basin.

Francis Harper will accompany an exploratory expedition into the country between Athabasca and the Great Slave lakes under the leadership of C. Cammell. This will be a new field for zoological study.

The field parties of the division in anthropology and archaeology will be widely distributed throughout the country.

ACTIVE WORK BEGINS.

Floating Drydock for Construction of New Pier Arrives Next Week; Contractor Here Now.

With the arrival of the floating drydock about next Wednesday the construction of the new cement piers in the outer harbor will be actively commenced by Grant, Smith and McDonnell, the contracting firm. The Hon. Angus McDonnell, a member of the firm, has arrived in Victoria personally to supervise the work. He is a son of the Earl of Antrim. He and Mrs. McDonnell intend to reside on the Pacific coast.

Arrangements have been made to use a 33-acre gravel bed at Royal bay and the ground is now being cleared to make the gravel available as soon as it is needed. The Bamerton Cement company and the Vancouver Portland Cement company have been awarded the contract to

supply the necessary 100,000 barrels of cement and the cribs will be constructed at the Royal Bay gravel pit. The drydock will be stationed at this point and later the cribs will be brought to Victoria and submerged.

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Camping Site, with water laid on, 40 x 100, at Cordova Bay, with waterfrontage. One-quarter cash, balance easy. Price only**\$2,000**

Building Lot on Rosebery St., 50 x 129. Price for cash**\$1,100**

5.10 Acres at Cordova Bay, close to waterfront and with frontage on main road, practically all under cultivation. One-quarter cash, balance arranged. Price, per acre**\$600**

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Lot 1 in block "A," subdivision of lots 1 and 2 in block "L," also lot 2 in block "A," subdivision of lot 9 and part of lots 19 and 20 in block "L," Fairfield Farm Estate, Victoria City, B. C., as shown on a map or plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C., and there numbered nine hundred and forty-nine.

Mortgagee's sale by public tender, under the powers of a sale contained in Registered Mortgage Charge Book, Volume 57, Folio 400, No. 2543G.

Tenders for the purchase of the above to be sent in by or before the fifteenth day of May, 1914. For further particulars apply to

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Tenders are invited for the following properties:

The centre 22 feet of lot 1258, official map of Victoria, known as 911 Government street, Victoria, B. C.

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Lots 10 and 11 of original lot 10, block "C," Constance Cove Farm, Selkirk, B. C.

This valuable piece of waterfrontage, which was held by the Hinton Electric Co., Ltd., and was used for the storage of wharf, has a width of 135 feet, abutting on Styles street, off Craigflower road; extreme depth of lot 10, 164 feet; extreme depth of lot 11, 134 feet on Styles street; depth at centre of lots, 92.35 feet.

The above is sold under the order of the Liquidator, Hinton Electric Co., Ltd., 911 Government street, Victoria, B. C.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

FREDERICK SLOAN, Liquidator.

CHINESE HATCH EGGS BY RICE.

Chinese in the interior districts adjacent to Anoy employ an ingenious method of hatching both hens' and ducks' eggs, says a consular report. The breeder takes a quantity of unhusked rice and roasts it, and then cools it until it is lukewarm. He then spreads a three-inch layer of the rice in a wooden tub and places about 100 eggs thereon; another layer of rice, this second and subsequent layer being but two inches in thickness, is spread over the eggs. Each tub has six layers of rice and five layers of eggs so that there are 500 eggs in each tub. The rice is heated once every twenty-four hours, the eggs being taken out at such times. When the eggs are again put in the rice the bottom layer is placed on top, and each of the other layers are moved down, while the eggs previously in the centre of the tub are placed at the edge. The entire tub is covered with a cotton mattress. The chicks and ducklings are produced in twenty to thirty days.

Young Wallie had brought home perfect school reports for several weeks, and then suddenly there was a great alteration. His father read the last one in evident disapproval. "How is this, son?" he asked. "Teacher's fault," said the boy. "How is it the teacher's fault?" "She moved that awful never little boy that sat next to me!"

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Every North American knows the story of Wolfe's great victory on the Plains of Abraham, a triumph which cost the life of the gallant young commander, but what came after is itself a stirring tale which is seldom told. The British conquest of Canada was far from assured by the capture of Quebec. The French still had a large army in the field, and an able commander in De La Riviere. The latter defeated Murray, who had succeeded Wolfe, upon the battlefield of St. Foye, and the English were driven into the city. Cold, hunger and decimating illness worked havoc with the British defenders of Quebec, and the winter following Wolfe's victory was one of terrible suffering and hardship. The Lilies of France had been hauled down from the ramparts of Quebec, but there was still hope for the French. Victory for one side or the other depended upon the arrival of reinforcements. For the coming of spring De La Riviere hoped for the coming of the French fleet, while the English troops shut up in Quebec were equally anxious for succor. It was a critical situation, with the final triumph still in the balance. When on a glad day 154 years ago today, May 15, 1760, the British fleet under Admiral Swanton arrived, the French reinforcements put a different face upon affairs, and De La Riviere, falling back upon Montreal, realized that the game was about played to a conclusion. Wolfe's victory made the conquest of Canada possible, but it was Admiral Swanton's fleet that made it certain. The French fleet, which had been expected to arrive in September, 1760, a year after the battle on the Plains of Abraham, that the astute De La Riviere was finally hemmed in by an overpowering army and forced to surrender. It was then left to diplomacy to complete the conflict of centuries, and the French, who had been successful, the British diplomats were successful.

FIRST THINGS

The first foreign war in which the United States engaged was against her former friend and ally, France. The tenor of judicial opinion has been that France and the United States have been at war, but as several naval engagements were fought, there were all the conditions of real warfare except a formal declaration. The seizure of American vessels by France was the cause of the trouble, and on May 15, 1797, just 117 years ago today, a special session of congress was convened in Philadelphia, at the call of President John Adams to consider the strained relations between the United States and the nation which had added the republic to achieve its independence. France was then governed by the directory, and Napoleon had just commenced those successful campaigns which were to win for him the imperial crown. A commission was sent to France to take up the matter of a settlement. When the commissioners were asked to bribe members of the directory, Charles C. Pinckney replied with the famous phrase, "Millions for defence, but not a cent for tribute." The commission failed in its mission, and in 1798 commercial intercourse with France was suspended, all French treaties were declared void, and naval warfare commenced. The conflict was verging on avowed warfare when, in 1800, a convention was negotiated which resulted in peace.

The yearly average of book production in the world, which was only 1,200 from 1500 to 1530, exceeded 10,000 books in the year 1700. It was not until 1887 that the world's yearly output exceeded for the first time 100,000.

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MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the buildings in the appended list have been inspected by the Medical Health Officer and the Sanitary Inspector and have been declared by them each to be a nuisance and dangerous to the public safety and health, and the said officers have recommended that the said buildings be pulled down.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, under the powers vested in it by Section 58 of the Municipal Act, will, on Thursday, the 21st day of May, 1914, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, proceed to investigate the said report of the said officers and hear evidence thereon and enquire into the matters therein contained and to make such declaration and order as to them may seem proper in the regard.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that any owner, agent, lessee or occupier of any of the said buildings may appear at said time and place and produce evidence and be heard concerning any of the matters in the said report contained.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C., City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 30th April, 1914.

BUILDINGS PROPOSED TO BE CONDEMNED.

1. All frame cow sheds and stable on Lot 17, behind No. 2838 Cedar Hill road, Victoria, B. C. Owner, F. W. Townsend, Vancouver, B. C. Agents, Buchanan & Co., 505 Ryer street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, no drainage system, very old and decayed.

2. All frame cow sheds and stable on Lot 1 of 55 and 57 Oaklands, situated on the northwest corner of Ryan and Adelaide streets, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Buchanan & Co., 505 Ryer street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, no drainage system, very old and decayed.

3. All frame cow sheds and stable on Lots 1 to 4, Block 30, Oaklands, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Buchanan & Co., 505 Ryer street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, no drainage system, very old and decayed.

4. All frame structures, comprising dwelling house, cabins and outbuildings on Lot 7, Block 6, Flaxman Estate, situated on the north side of Pembroke street, between Douglas and Government streets, Victoria, B. C. Owners, Leiser & McIlhenny, Yates street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, much decayed.

5. All frame dwellings and outbuildings on Lot 1 and 2, Block 14, Work Estate, situated and being Nos. 2827 and 2831 Bridge street, Victoria, B. C. Owners, H. W. Ross and R. T. Elliot. Dilapidated and insanitary, very damp, buildings partly surrounded by water.

6. All frame dwellings and outbuildings on Lot 1 and 2, Block 14, Work Estate, situated on David street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, D. A. H. Ogilvy. Dilapidated and insanitary, very much decayed.

7. All frame dwelling house, stables, sheds and shacks on Blocks C, D and E, Garbally Estate, Sec. 5, Victoria, B. C. Owners, Messrs. Leiser & McIlhenny, Yates street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

8. All frame cow sheds and stables on Lots 11 and 12, Block A, Sections 1 to 5, Victoria, B. C. Owners, James Leigh & Co., 1212 Burdett, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

9. Old frame building on part of lots 82 and 83, Block 3, Hillside extension, behind Crawford's Grocery Store, on the northeast corner of King's road and Blanshard avenue, Victoria, B. C. Owner, F. J. No. 112 Burdett, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

10. Old frame stable on Lot 6, Block 16, Hillside extension, situated behind No. 2844 Quadra street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Thomas Ashe, Oak Bay, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

11. Old frame stable on Lot 156, Block 3, Hillside extension, situated behind No. 2844 Quadra street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Thomas Ashe, Oak Bay, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

12. Old frame stable on Lot 152, Block 3, Hillside extension, situated at the rear of 2844 Quadra street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Thomas Ashe, Oak Bay, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

13. Frame stable, sheds, fowl houses and lean-tos, on Lot 10, Block 15, Hillside extension, situated at the rear of 2844 Quadra street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Peter McCabe, North Park street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

14. Frame stable, fowl houses and sheds on Lot 117, Block 7, situated at the rear of No. 1124 Hillside avenue, Victoria, B. C. Owner, G. Prior, St. Charles street, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, occupied by Orientals.

15. Frame stable, shed and wooden outbuilding on part of Block 5, Flaxman Estate, adjoining the old Lion Saloon, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

16. All frame sheds and lean-tos on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 5-acre 16, situated on the S. E. corner of Cook and Pembroke streets, Victoria, B. C. Owner, A. P. Luxton, Chancery Chambers, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

17. Old shed on Lot part 17, Block 5-acre 16, situated on the S. E. corner of Cook and Pembroke streets, Victoria, B. C. Owner, H. T. Knott, corner of Yates street and Chancery Chambers, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

18. Frame stable on Lot 19, Block 5-acre 16, situated at the rear of No. 88 North Park street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Leo Moy, P. O. Box 341, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

19. Old sheds and fowl houses on Lot 12, Block 5-acre 16, situated at the rear of No. 88 North Park street, Victoria, B. C. Owner, Leo Moy, P. O. Box 341, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

20. Frame dwellings and all outbuildings on Lot 148, Block 7, situated on the west side of Blanshard avenue, between Douglas and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C. Owner, L. J. Quagliotti, Dilapidated and insanitary, very much decayed.

21. All frame structures, lean-tos, verandas, platforms and stairways on Lot 151, Block 7, situated on the south side of Pandora avenue, between Douglas and Johnson streets, Victoria, B. C. Owner, L. J. Quagliotti, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary, used for occupation, much decayed, crowded area.

22. Wood additions to and at the rear of Nos. 725 and 727 Pandora avenue, Victoria, B. C. Owner, L. J. Quagliotti, Victoria, B. C. Dilapidated and insanitary.

23. Old frame building on Lot 126, Block Fairfield, situated on the S. E. corner of

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DEAN HEIGHTS—Lot 50x120, level and grassy. 20-foot lot, no rock; water close-in lots at about half-value. Write quick. Box 407, Times. m18

FOR SALE—Esquimalt, Lampton St., near sea and car. 12-roomed house with over one acre of well laid out grounds. Chalmers' house, etc. This is a snap. \$15,000; terms \$5,000 cash. Phone 1563R1. m18

LOT SNAP at Powl Bay, overlooking the water, choice 20-foot lot, no rock; water close-in lots at about half-value. Write quick. Box 407, Times. m18

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—In best residential section in Victoria, convenient, well-finished eight-room house, all modern conveniences. Lot 12 ft. long. Location, Collinson St., near Cook, Moore & Whittington, owners. 204 Bridge St. m18

FOR SALE—Fine eight-room house near completion, on lot 14 ft. long, magnificent view, facing Pembroke St., near Belmont Ave. Low prices and easy terms, or will take good building lot as part payment. Moore & Whittington, owners. 1614 Bridge St. m18

GOUGE PARK 3 minutes from house, 5 roomed furnished complete, piano, etc. Clear title. Write to Bargain, Tillicum P. O. m18

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NOW INSTALLED—Pastry and bread department, fresh twice daily. French loaf, white and brown bread, 3c; nice assortment cookies, buns and cakes, 15c dozen; doughnuts and fancy cakes, 15c per dozen; jelly rolls and other cakes 15c each; ginger bread, 5c each. Give us a trial. We take care of your penny change. Woolworth's, 5c, 10c and 15c store, Government St. m18

WE HAVE splendid opening for a man of character and ability as selling representative. Apply personally for particulars. R. H. Rush, Grand Trunk Pacific Department, International Securities Company, Ltd., corner Broad and Johnson Sts. m18

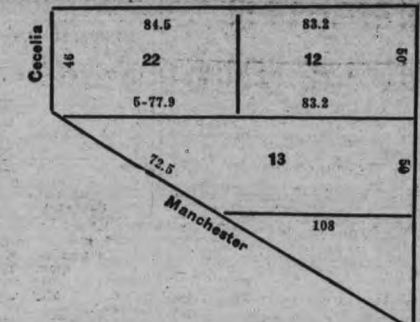
HOUSE, about 6 rooms, must have garden, few fruit trees and chicken house, also rent and location, box 409, Times. m18

A. A. LISTINGS wanted. Malet & Co., fourth floor, Central Building. m30

DO YOU WANT to get rid of your vacant lot? We have a good 5-room bungalow in Oak Bay, modern and close to Oak Bay ave. Price \$1200. Will take vacant lot, value about \$2000, as first payment, balance mortgage and to suit. Myers & Co. m21

MILL WOOD—Double lot, 30 ft. wide, 150 ft. long, kindling wood, 25c per load. Also, modern and close to Oak Bay ave. Price \$200. Pleasant. Phone 298. m18

FOR SALE—Whitney baby carriage, good condition, \$5. 1063 Mason St. m21



TRAVELING IN MEXICO SUPPED WITH HUERTA

Visitor to Victoria Describes
Conditions in War-Ridden
Land

"A God's-country going to waste." This is the manner in which Powell Chandler, of Cambridge, England, who has just arrived in Victoria from the war-ridden land, describes Mexico. To this phrase he added a trenchant sentence that an American to whom he had been speaking in the train from Mexico City, spoke as he waved his hand towards the wonderful, fertile valley near Vera Cruz: "It's a marvelous country, and a marvelous people who can make nothing of it."

Supped With Huerta.
Powell Chandler spent January and February in Mexico, and during his short stay in Mexico had the pleasure of supping with Huerta, the dictator. Of him he says:

"He's a little blunt, fellow with a terribly cruel jaw; stoical, careless of dress, quick tempered, autocratic, of strong Indian proclivities. He has a little disloyalty; if he is in a good temper and everything is going well with him and his, he is fond of dressing up in the gaudiest panoply. But if things are not going well, then he carves not what he wears. On the occasion of which I have spoken, he was dressed like a laborer and was not overclean."

Madero's Death.
Mr. Chandler feels that he must decline to give the name of his informant, who is a person very high in Mexican circles, but he has a different story to tell altogether of Madero's death from that which appeared in the press at the time of the demise of the late president:

"I have it on the best authority in the world," said Mr. Chandler, "that Madero was assassinated in the palace, and then put into a motor car seated upright like a dummy, but as dead as a doornail. Then he was shot at in the street to give color to the commonly-accepted version that he was murdered as he sat in his car driving through the streets of the four corners of the world."

When this question was put to Mr. Chandler, he replied that in his opinion the only salvation of the country lay in its subjugation by a foreign power, which would administer humane laws fearlessly, and would protect life and capital within the four corners of the most wonderful countries in the world.

No Leader.
"There is not a man in Mexico today," he added, "who is sufficiently a man in the true sense of the word to lead the people. And they cannot breed one. They are all untrained, uneducated and of very poor calibre."

"Huerta is their strongest man at present, but it is pretty clear that he cannot keep the country together. Carranza is aged, and has no energy and activity worth mentioning. Even if he had he has not the respect of his own followers, apart from the fact that Carranza is simply a mediocre, black-hearted and cruel as the grave."

"Where then are they to get the men from among their own to lead them? A Mexican lawyer to whom I was talking in Vera Cruz explained the whole situation by saying that 'we haven't a man among us fit to lead.'"

"No amount of pacific intervention," continued Mr. Chandler, "would ever bring the country into such a state as when Diaz held the reins of government. At that time capital was secure and life was fairly safe, even if he did allow trusts and green bay trees, and even if he did sell favors and concessions to fill up the presidential coffers."

Narrow Escapes.
Mr. Chandler undertook the journey to Mexico for his health, but he had some very narrow escapes during his two months' sojourn in Mexico from having his trip summarily curtailed by a stray bullet. He was very near to the scene of fighting on several occasions.

For instance, on one occasion they were staying at Lake Chapala and on the other side of the water a big fracas broke out. A large party of rebels came whooping up to rob a farm. The farmer, pretending great good will, proposed to go to the nearest city to fetch supplies. Instead he brought a few companies of federal troops, and according to Mr. Chandler, the prettiest little scrap ensued that he has seen for many a long day.

Finding the neighborhood unsafe, the traveler left the next day for Vera Cruz, which was then full of refugees, and every station on the way was guarded with troops.

"These federal troops," says Mr. Chandler, "are a poor, mean-looking lot. They are badly shod, worse clothed and their guns are in the main devoid of magazines. Altogether they are an uninspiring crowd."

Are Brigands.
"They are not so bad, however, as many of the rebels. With the exception of the bands around Villa and Carranza, these are mostly men of no cause, merely practising brigandage. They recognize no one on earth, and their only master is the devil himself. They are predatory bands too, and are working more harm to the country than she will recover from in many years."

Mr. Chandler then related with gusto an incident that happened at Guanajuato while he was there. Without warning two hundred rebels suddenly descended on the town and appeared in the streets. The inhabitants were taken by surprise and the mayor promptly locked himself in the city jail.

His action resulted in about three hundred able-bodied men of the city joining the rebel forces, and not until the last cloud of dust had disappeared on the horizon did the chief magistrate venture forth again.

ACCOMPLISHED MUCH DURING PAST YEAR

Many Reports Heard at Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary Convention To-day

The greater part of this morning's proceedings at the annual diocesan meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary at Christ church cathedral schoolroom was devoted to hearing the reports of the various diocesan branches. Mrs. Doull presided in the chair, and with her on the platform were Mrs. Roper, Mrs. Hiscocks, Mrs. Elmhurst, Mrs. Vincent, Miss Roper and Mrs. Phipps. Early in the proceedings Mrs. Doull extended a welcome to Miss Colwin and Miss Aston, who had just arrived from England and were among those present.

Mrs. Clarke's suggestion that Mrs. Luxton's name be entered among the nominations for office was evidently a very popular one, and while the wish was expressed that it were possible to do so, the chair sustained Mrs. Luxton's expressed wish that she be given no office this year.

Among the reports of the senior W. A. branches read was that of the cathedral branch, which showed a falling off during the past year in the number of members. There were now only 80 members, as compared with 87 in 1912, this falling-off being accounted for by the founding last year of the St. Mary's (Oak Bay) branch, which had taken away several. Mrs. Niven had been added to the roll of life members.

St. John's senior branch reported splendid progress for the year, with a total membership of 56 members, 11 of whom had joined during the past twelve months. A total of \$544 had been collected from various sources, the E. C. D. fund having added over \$14 to this.

St. Saviour's branch reported 23 members, and an average attendance of 13 at each of the regular monthly meetings. Parcels had been sent to the Columbia Coast mission, and the manner of raising money by voluntary subscriptions, etc., was recounted.

Mrs. Doull read a letter of good wishes for a successful meeting from Mrs. Wollaston.

St. Barnabas branch reported 39 members, and 25 leaflet subscribers. Fifty dollars had been given by this branch to the general pledge fund.

An excellent report was read from St. Paul's, Esquimalt, showing that 13 meetings had been held during the year with an average attendance of ten members. The study class had not been very well attended. The branch had decided to give \$25 towards the support of a child at Alert Bay, in response to the appeal made by Miss Roper.

The first annual report of St. Mary's, Oak Bay, entered somewhat more fully into the particulars of the organization than any of the other branches, and reported the formation of a junior W. A. in connection with this. The total membership of the branch was 18, and there were 15 leaflet subscribers.

An average attendance of 10 was reported by St. Mark's, the membership of that branch being 21. The diocesan treasury had received over \$100 during the year from that branch, and 7 had been placed in the life-membership fund. The Babies' Band was doing good work with a membership of 12, and the general condition of the branch was most satisfactory.

St. Michael's reported a membership of 13, and among the general work reported was collecting for the building fund.

The report of St. James' was read by Mrs. Toller, and showed that parish claims were very pressing. There were 15 members in the guild, only five of whom, however, were active.

Albert reported 17 members, and the holding of fairly regular monthly meetings.

Mrs. Skinner, for the Nanaimo W. A., reported collections amounting to \$122.40, all of which, with the exception of \$18, had been disbursed. This branch has 40 members.

Other branches reporting included Cowichan, St. Peter's, Quamichan; and St. Philip's, Cedar district. The last referred to the good work done by Mrs. Cook in connection with the branch during her term. Mr. Cook's six-months' incumbency. All the reports, in addition to Mrs. Hiscocks, were adopted.

"Honor all men" formed the text of the Rev. Mr. Dawe's noontide address to the meeting. It was this spirit in Christ which had inspired St. Peter to write these words, and it was this spirit which should be emulated in the mission work of the church. Christianity was a universal religion, and its workers should reach out and show all-embracing sympathies. Christianity demanded that all men, no matter what their creed or unbelief, should be reclaimed for Christ.

The final address of the morning was given by Mrs. Charles Clarke, who made an eloquent plea for W. A. members to join the study class and to learn about the lives of those people in whose salvation they were supposed to be interested.

Miss Turner was elected president for the ensuing year by acclamation.

In the absence this evening of the Dean of Columbia, Archdeacon Seriven will occupy the chair at the meeting, and the speaker will be Archdeacon Heathcote, of Columbia, and Rev. Harold G. King, rector of St. Paul's, Vancouver.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington—R. H. E.
Chicago..... 3 4 4
Washington..... 6 7 1
Batteries—Cicotte, Wolfgang, Faber and Dalley, Schalk; Engel, Shaw and Williams.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Cleveland..... 3 4 2
Philadelphia..... 6 9 0
Batteries—Blanding, Gregg, Beck and Carlsch; Shawkey, Bush and Lapp, Schang.

At Boston—R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 9 12 0
Boston..... 3 8 3
Batteries—Wellman and Ruml; Bediet, Wood and Cady.

At New York—R. H. E.
Detroit..... 0 8 0
New York..... 2 6 1
Batteries—Daus and Stange; Caldwell and Sweeney.

FEDERAL LEAGUE
At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 6 9 4
Brooklyn..... 12 12 2
Batteries—Groom, Herbert, Welch and Simon; Vernon, Lafitte and Land.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Kansas City..... 1 5 1
Pittsburgh..... 0 8 0
Batteries—Cullup and Easterly; Dickson, Henderson and Berry.

At Buffalo—R. H. E.
Chicago..... 7 10 2
Buffalo..... 0 2 0
Batteries—Hendrix, Clemens and Wilson; Moran, Brown, Houser and Blair.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
New York..... 5 12 0
Pittsburgh..... 3 9 0
Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers; McQuillan, Harmon and Gibson.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E.
Boston..... 2 6 6
Cincinnati..... 4 10 2
Batteries—Crutcher, Strand and Gowdy; Whaling; Yingling and Clark.

EARL GREY VISITOR TO VICTORIA TO-DAY

Former Governor-General is
First to Set Foot in Dominion
After His Term

Earl Grey, former governor-general of Canada, was in the city for a few hours this afternoon, while the Princess Victoria was lying at the dock on her way from Seattle to Vancouver.

He is travelling as a private citizen, and is on a tour of the world, partly on pleasure and partly in the furtherance of the project he and other statesmen have for the erection of a great centre for the representation of overseas Dominions in Aldwych Square, London.

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NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of James Hickling Tomlinson, late of 574 Simcoe street, in the city of Victoria, province of British Columbia, deceased, who died on the 16th of March, 1914, and whose will was proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia on the 12th day of May, 1914, by Dominion Trust Company, the executor thereof named, are hereby required to send by registered mail prepared, or delivery made in writing, their claims or demands, duly verified by Statutory Declaration, to the undersigned the said Dominion Trust Company, on or before the 30th day of June, 1914, at the undersigned address, after that date the said Dominion Trust Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Hickling Tomlinson, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the above-named deceased, James Hickling Tomlinson, are hereby notified to pay to the undersigned Dominion Trust Company the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of May, 1914.

DOMINION TRUST COMPANY.
Per Hugh Kennedy, Manager.
909 Government Street,
Victoria, B. C.

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GREATER AREA FOR THE PAVING COMPANY

City Engineer Asks Streets Committee to Assign More Roadways for Work

City Engineer Rust is this afternoon arguing upon the streets committee the necessity of naming further streets for paving, so as to increase the yardage to be done by the Canadian Mineral Rubber company under the agreement reached with its liquidators, the National Trust company.

The other day the city council asked the re-surfacing of Vancouver street, from Humboldt street to Pandora avenue, to the work to be performed by the company, and the tenders which had been sent in were returned to the tenderers. There can still be a good deal of work done by the C. M. R. this season besides what is really assigned towards its ninety-five thousand yards, and the city engineer is anxious to have this additional amount decided upon.

What may prove to be a difficulty in the way is the shortage in the paving fund, which is about \$200,000 less than it was anticipated it would be when treasury notes to the extent of \$200,000 were negotiated earlier in the year. As has been explained, the need to pay an advance of \$125,000 from the bank in a former year had to be met and other payments reduced the amount realized and available for the programme of 1914 by the sum named. The finance committee has not yet announced that it sees any way of replacing this sum without going into the money markets again, a thing which it is practically barred from doing through having given an undertaking to the fiscal agents in Toronto that the city would not again seek to borrow money this year.

The engineer was able to inform the committee in his weekly report that the Canadian Mineral Rubber company has commenced its work of surfacing the streets allotted to it, gangs of men having been set to work this morning on Pakington street, the base having been laid by the city workmen a couple of weeks ago, and on Vancouver street.

The work on the latter will cost about \$5,000, which must be met out of general revenue, and against this the city has only about \$1,800 left of the amount held back on the Westminster paving company's contract, having already had to make extensive repairs out of the amount retained. There are some seventeen hundred square yards of roadway ready for surfacing, but the city, by its agreement has to keep twenty thousand yards ahead of the C. M. R. Streets in line for work are the Gorge road, west from Washington avenue; Fort street, from Cook to Linden; Fairfield road, from Dallas road east, and Pandora avenue, from Douglas to Cook.

A deputation from the Local Council of Women is waiting upon the members of the committee, which includes the whole council, to ask for some financial assistance in its investigations into the causes of the high cost of living, an appeal to the finance committee having failed on deaf ears. The case of the committee is being stated by the chairman, Ald. McNeill, and it is simply that no matter how meritorious the nature of any request which is made to the committee the financial conditions this year make the most rigid economy imperative.

The city engineer was expected to have a report ready on the best means of putting Vancouver street, between the park and Humboldt street, in a condition which will be satisfactory to the ratepayers, and what it would cost. This was promised to the deputation of owners heard at the last meeting, who attended again this afternoon, reinforced by several others.

A report was also looked for in regard to the repair of Rock Bay bridge, which has been closed to traffic for some months, to the great inconvenience of teamsters. A petition signed by practically every merchant in the city was referred to the committee about three weeks ago, and some of the petitioners are urging immediate action. Mr. Rust will report on the cost of a new structure as well as of repairs to the present bridge. It is believed that the repairs required are so extensive that it would be better to build a new bridge and slightly alter the location at the same time.

LONDON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

London, May 15.—Securities left off strong. Call money in demand at 3 per cent. Turn-over calls and dividend disbursements were heavy. It was reported that the settlement cheques of two brokers have been returned, but no failures are looked for. Home rails reflected cheerfulness and Americans exhibited strength. Buoyancy developed in Mexican rails with gains of two to five points. Foreigners showed hesitancy on account of renewed trouble in St. Petersburg.

NEW YORK CURE PRICES.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Marconi	100	100
Bell	100	100
Beaver	100	100
B. C. Copper	100	100
Buffalo	100	100
Can. Marconi	100	100
Can. Gold Sil.	100	100
Caribou	100	100
Comb. Fraction	100	100
Crown Reserve	100	100
Elly Cons.	100	100
Gold Cons.	100	100
Hollinger	100	100
Kerr Lake	100	100
La Rose	100	100
Mines of Am.	100	100
Nipissing	100	100
Standard	100	100
Stewart	100	100
Tomahawk	100	100
Yukon	100	100
Wetlaufer	100	100

OPTIMISTIC FEELING

HOLDS WALL STREET

Softening of Prices Follows Higher Opening but Situation Favorable

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, May 15.—Stocks opened stronger and higher levels were witnessed on early trades, but softening fractionally towards the end. Good buying of Missouri Pacific was in evidence on prospect of an understanding between Kuhn Loeb and the road as to their financing.

The Harriman issues were in good demand and London was an active purchaser of Canadian Pacific and leading stocks.

The condition of affairs in financial circles is being viewed more favorably than heretofore. In London more cheerfulness prevails with the settlements out of the way, while Amsterdam and Berlin have ceased liquidating owing to the fact that the continent has recently been able to replenish its gold supplies in a most satisfactory manner.

	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Alaska Gold	284	274	284	284
Am. Agr. Chemical	74	74	74	74
Am. Beet Sugar	22	22	22	22
Am. Can.	28	28	28	28
Am. Car. & Pdy.	42	42	42	42
Am. Cotton Oil	42	42	42	42
Am. Ice Securities	31	31	31	31
Am. Locomotive	32	32	32	32
Am. Smelting	44	44	44	44
Am. Sugar	106	106	106	106
Am. Tel. & Tel.	122	122	122	122
Am. Tobacco	224	224	224	224
Gen. Motors	84	84	84	84
Anaconda	32	32	32	32
Atchafalpa	62	62	62	62
B. & O.	92	92	92	92
B. T. R.	92	92	92	92
C. P. R.	192	192	192	192
Central Leather	36	36	36	36
Che. & Ohio	53	53	53	53
C. & G. W.	34	34	34	34
C. P. d.	34	34	34	34
C. M. & St. P.	100	100	100	100
California	21	21	21	21
Can. Cons.	130	130	130	130
Distillers Sec.	15	15	15	15
Eric	44	44	44	44
Goodrich	27	27	27	27
It. Nor. pfd.	23	23	23	23
Int. Harvester	15	15	15	15
Do. pfd.	15	15	15	15
Inter. Harvester	108	108	108	108
Kas. City Southern	27	27	27	27
L. & N.	130	130	130	130
Mex. Petro.	63	63	63	63
N. Y. C.	130	130	130	130
Nex. Cons.	15	15	15	15
N. Y. Central	111	111	111	111
Pacific Mail	24	24	24	24
Pennsylvania	111	111	111	111
Pressed Steel	28	28	28	28
Railway Steel Spg.	29	29	29	29
Reading	164	164	164	164
Rock Island	32	32	32	32
Sou. Pacific	98	98	98	98
Sou. Railway	124	124	124	124
Do. pfd.	79	79	79	79
Tenn. Copper	37	37	37	37
Union Pacific	102	102	102	102
U. S. Rubber	59	59	59	59
U. S. Steel	104	104	104	104
Do. pfd.	104	104	104	104
Utah Copper	58	58	58	58
Western Union	62	62	62	62
Westinghouse	73	73	73	73
Granby (Boston)	83	83	83	83
Total sales	2,900	2,900	2,900	2,900
Money on call	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2

SPECULATIVE WHEAT

TRADE NOW BROADER

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, May 15.—Speculation is broadening. Just when wheat trade of the country was tired out and depressed with the most flattering crop news week after week there comes a change in the whole situation with quite serious complaints from many big wheat counties in Illinois and Missouri. The best authorities among wheat raisers, millers, grain handlers and a few of the crop experts sent out by Chicago houses seem to agree to-day in confirming considerable Mexican fly damage in the states named. The selling pressure in this trade has been so persistent and the short interest is so great that even prospect of a spread of insect damage has caused buying of large volume and at times of excited character. Because the early advances stopped about midday, local bears undertook to bring about a reaction. The close was a half off from high.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	96 1/2	96 1/2	94 1/2	95
July	87 1/2	87 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
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In addition to these, and many other similar lines, we suggest that you inspect our immense range of Rugs, Lace Curtains, Table Covers, Cushions and small pieces of

Furniture that will prove a source of pleasure to the bride for some time to come. Whether you decide to make a purchase or not, we wish you to see them.

Weiler's Better Values in Dependable Cutlery

Table Knives with xylonite handles, oval or square styles, come at, per dozen, \$7.50, \$6.00 and \$5.00
Dessert Knives with xylonite handles to match the above mentioned lines, come at, per dozen, \$6.00, \$5.50 and \$4.00
Table Knives with ivory handles come at, per dozen, \$24, \$20 and \$18.00
Table Knives with white bone handles come at \$2.50 per dozen and dessert knives at \$2.00
All-Steel Knives or Forks to match at, per dozen \$2.00
Aluminum Handled Knives, table size, at \$3.50, and dessert at \$3.00
Silver-Plated Knives, table size, at \$6.00, and dessert knives at \$5.50
Silver-Plated Knives of excellent quality at \$4.50 per dozen in the table size, and for dessert knives \$4.00



This Neat Music Cabinet Only \$12.00



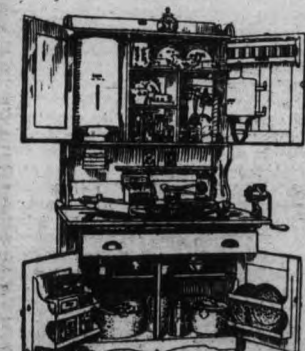
As the illustration plainly shows, no attempt has been made to produce an elaborate piece. Simplicity, utility and economy have been well combined. It is 35 inches high and measures 16x17 1/2 inches over the top, and comes in a rich mahogany finish. Other Styles at prices ranging up to \$50 from only \$10.00

Elkington's Silver-Plated Ware

A New Shipment Arrived

Elkington's is the hardest, heaviest and most durable line of Silver-Plated Ware that is made. The fact that Elkington's are, by special appointment, manufacturers to His Majesty the King, is proof of the sterling quality of this ware. See the handsome Table and Flatware included in this new shipment.

You Will Appreciate This Kitchen Cabinet Because It Makes for Order and Neatness

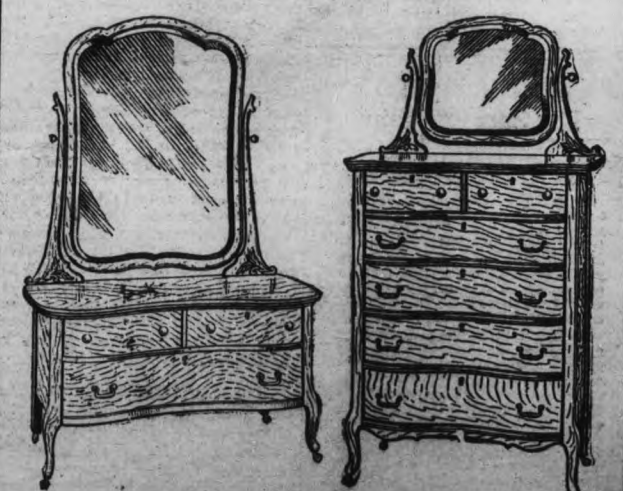


Taking it for granted that you are a tidy woman, few things will interest you so much as appliances that reduce the amount of your daily work by helping you to keep things in their place.

The Knechtel Cabinet, illustrated here, isolates the cooking and keeps the foodstuff clean and wholesome. It enables you to be seated and prepare a meal without those up and down back and forth journeys which tire a woman out.

Come and let us tell you more about this interesting Cabinet.

A Desirable Style—Your Choice From Curly Birch or Walnut in This Design



As the illustrations are taken from exact drawings, little need be said about the beauty of the design. However, special notice should be given to the beautifully shaped top, drawer fronts and gracefully shaped legs.

The finish is natural and the silvery veins, that cross the pretty grain of the wood, are very distinct.

The Dresser measures 24x48 inches over the top, and the mirror is 30 x 42 inches. Cash price \$54.00

The Chiffoniere carries a glass 18 x 20 inches, and the top measures 21 x 39 inches. Cash price \$45.00

ment have been excessive. This statement has not been borne out by facts, as the following figures will show: The total number of accident cases dealt with by the B. C. Electric Railway company from January 1, 1911, to February 20, 1914, was 1,420. Of these 66 were contested in court, and 1,354 amicably settled without reference to law. This shows an average contested of less than 5 per cent.

We asked the company to state to the committee the cost of power charged it, and were informed that as they could not answer specifically as to the charge per horsepower or kilowatt hour, but submitted the following table showing the cost per car mile for the year ending June 30, 1913, as compared with the cost on other systems in Canada:

	Cost of power per car mile, cents.
B. C. E. R.	2.98
Montreal	2.62
Toronto	2.58
Winnipeg	2.81
Edmonton	11.22
Calgary	5.23

Operating Expenses.
The growth of traffic in years previous to 1912 warranted liberal outlays in development and equipment, and consequent on these outlays, the operating expenses increased very considerably.

In 1908 the rate of operating expenses of the railway department exclusive of interest on outlay, was 71.08 per cent. of earnings; this ratio increased to 81 per cent. in 1913. In 1912 the gross earnings were three and a half times as much as in 1908, but the net earnings were about the same as in 1908, notwithstanding the fact as stated by the company that three times the amount of capital was employed in 1913; as compared with 1908.

The total capital invested by the company has increased by about \$4,000,000 annually for the last five years, and now totals about \$45,000,000. Your committee has taken into consideration that the securing of capital for such undertakings as this is naturally dependent upon a fair return on investment.

The conditions which we find justify the increase in fares, call for and have resulted in strict economy in expenses and management, and it may be reasonably expected that in time these economies will reduce the present high proportion of operating expenses sufficiently to warrant a reconsideration of fares charged, but such reductions can not be expected to greatly influence return on invested capital until passenger traffic increases.

MASTERMAN TO RUN.

London, May 15.—C. F. G. Masterman, the cabinet minister who lost his seat in the recent bye-election in the Bethnal Green division of London, which was made necessary by the cabinet shuffle, has been officially recommended as the Liberal candidate for Ipswich. This constituency is vacant through the death of the sitting member.

What madness is it for a man to starve himself to enrich his heir, and so turn a friend into an enemy? for his joy at your death will be proportioned to what you leave him.—Seneca.

about 15 per cent. higher in Vancouver than in other coast cities, and 10 per cent. higher than in Eastern Canadian cities. For example, a car costing \$7,407.80 at Vancouver can be purchased in Seattle for \$5,886.40, and in Toronto for \$6,522.25.

With respect to operating expenses the "Electric Railway Journal" of October 25, 1913, shows the operating expense ratios of forty of the leading electric railway systems of this continent. The average is 59.09 per cent. and the B. C. Electric Railway company has the highest ratio, amounting to 75.03 per cent. The figures given relate only to straight operating expenses and do not include any charge for renewals, depreciation, taxes or accident reserve.

The revenue per car mile for four of the leading electric railway systems of Canada in 1912, shows Vancouver the least remunerative in that regard. Toronto provided \$42.846 per car mile; Montreal, \$30.259; Winnipeg, \$24.230, and Vancouver, \$22.038.

We find further that with few exceptions the usual fare charged in the principal cities of the United States is 5c. In Canada the fare is usually about the same as that charged by the B. C. Electric Railway company previous to September last. The straight 5c. fare is charged in nearly all the Pacific coast cities, including Seattle, San Francisco and Los Angeles. In Portland the fare is 5c. or 50 tickets for \$2.25.

Low Rates to Workmen.
To the best of our knowledge the B. C. Electric Railway company is the only company on the Pacific coast selling workmen's tickets at 4c. These are issued in ten tickets for 40c., five white and five green, the white tickets being good from 5 a. m. to 8 a. m., and the green are good at all hours.

A good deal has been said about the distance that passengers are carried in other cities for one fare as compared with Vancouver. We think there is not much to complain of in this respect as city passengers can travel from Alma road and Tenth avenue to Hastings street and Boundary avenue, a distance of 8.35 miles, and settlers are carried from Dunbar street and Wilson road to Hastings street and Boundary avenue, a distance of 11.78 miles for 5c.

Notwithstanding the fact that the number of passengers carried has been steadily falling off from June last, the company is giving a better service than ever, the number of car miles at present averaging about 90,000 per year more than in 1912.

It has been put forward in a criticism of the B. C. Electric Railway company that other companies serve a greater area for the same fare than that railway, but we have considered that the area served by any railway is no indication of the service rendered to the public without taking into consideration the population, track mileage and number of cars operated within that area. The North Vancouver service, with nearly ten miles of trackage, and a population of about 8,000, covers an area almost as large as the city of Vancouver with a population of 120,000 people, and seventy miles of trackage.

An Unsupported Argument.

Another argument has been advanced in some quarters that owing to the policy of the company of contesting so many accident claims in court, the expenses in connection with this depart-

At a meeting of the Vancouver board of trade on Tuesday the majority report of the special committee on British Columbia Electric railway rates was read as follows and adopted:

Your committee appointed to investigate the matters of the increase in fares by the B. C. Electric Railway company in the city of Vancouver in September last herewith begs to set out its report:

We feel that any findings this board makes should be based on a fair analysis of conditions, as to the cost of labor, cost of materials and any other exigencies which enter into the development, equipment and maintenance of a passenger-carrying system such as that provided by the B. C. Electric Railway company.

Your committee has held ten meetings and has obtained information with respect to the cost of fares and areas served by such fares from Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco and Los Angeles. We have also obtained a great deal of information from officers of the B. C. Electric Railway company, who have invariably treated the committee with courtesy.

Our finding is that the B. C. Electric Railway company was, under existing conditions, justified in raising its fares, but that as soon as the present high proportion of expense to earnings can be reduced, a reconsideration of the fares charged will be justified. We submit the following as some of the reasons for our finding:

The money actually expended up to June 30, 1913, amounted to \$45,168,312, and the amount paid out in interest and dividends for the year amounted to \$1,888,139, equal to 4.18 per cent. on the entire investment. That during the last ten years the cost of equipment, supplies and wages has increased at least 25 per cent.

Higher Wages Than in East.
The wages paid by the B. C. Electric Railway company are about 10 per cent. higher than those paid in any other Pacific coast city, and from 20 to 25 per cent. higher than those paid in the cities of eastern Canada.

Conductors and motormen on the B. C. Electric Railway company's system receive 27 cents per hour for the first year, increasing to 36 1/2 cents per hour in the fifth year, while Seattle pays 25 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 32 cents in fifteen years; Portland pays 25 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 31 cents per hour in the sixth year; San Francisco pays 25 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 33 cents per hour in the ninth year; Los Angeles pays 25 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 30 cents in five years; Montreal pays 23 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 25 cents per hour the third year and thereafter; Toronto pays 23 1/2 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 27 1/2 cents the third year and thereafter; Winnipeg pays 25 cents per hour the first year, increasing to 34 cents in the fourth year.

A similar comparison of the wages paid to trackmen, barmen and mechanics, shows a corresponding increase paid by the B. C. Electric Railway company as compared with the above mentioned cities. There are about 500 conductors and motormen employed in Vancouver, and on the suburban lines, working an average of nine hours per day. These men receive 18c. more per day than paid in any other coast city. This amounts to \$63,560 in a year, and if we include the trackmen, barmen and mechanics, the amount would be more than doubled.

High Cost of Supplies.
Again, equipment and supplies are